

ARIZONA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT

2015 Pronghorn Antelope and Elk

HUNT DRAW INFORMATION



Use this booklet to apply for Arizona's 2015 Pronghorn Antelope and Elk drawing. This information applies to hunting seasons from Jan. 1, 2015 to Dec. 31, 2015.

Hunt permit application deadline is Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2015, at 7 p.m. (MST)

The online application service will be available early to mid-January. Paper hunt permit applications also can be submitted by mail or at any Department office.

The current year Arizona Hunting and Trapping Regulations (official rules) can be found at www.azgfd.gov or at any Department office or license dealer.

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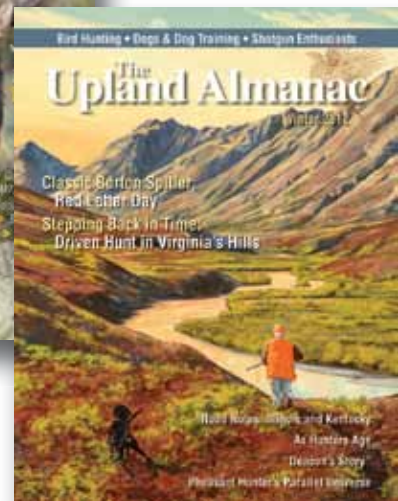
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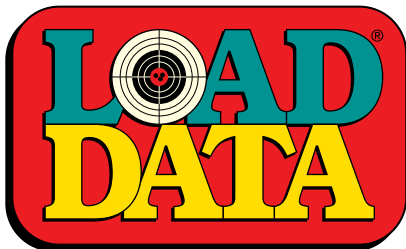


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Important Information for 2015

This list is for informational purposes only and lists important information or major changes that have occurred since publication of the last hunt draw booklet. Individuals should thoroughly read and understand the appropriate regulations prior to submitting an application or going afield. The current Arizona Hunting and Trapping Regulations can be found at www.azgfd.gov, or at any Department office or license dealer.

Hunt Permit-Tag Application Schedule The location of this table within the book has moved. You can find the Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule on page 7.

Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch (Unit 10) Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch in Unit 10 has implemented new Ranch Rules and a mandatory permitting process which includes an impact fee for all hunting activities within the ranch boundaries. The Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch encompasses the entire western half of Unit 10, about 720,000 acres. If planning to hunt the Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch portion of Unit 10, hunters are advised to visit the Ranch's website: www.HuntBigBoRanch.com.

Paper Correction Period Eliminated Due to decreasing participation in the paper application process and the availability of the online application system that virtually prevents applicants from making application errors, the Commission has eliminated the paper correction period starting with the 2014 spring draw. If you use the online system, you are required to pay the application fee (this fee is the same for online and paper application) as well as any purchased licenses fees at the time of application. Once the draw takes place, and IF you are successfully drawn, the Department will charge the credit or debit card you have on file for the permit fee. If payment fails, the Department will make three attempts within two business days to contact you and notify you that your payment has been declined. You will then be afforded a means of providing alternative payment within a specified timeframe. If the Department has not received an alternate payment at the end of that specified timeframe, applicants will be rejected. No exceptions will be made for individuals who do not respond to the Department's attempts to contact them. Deadline for updating credit or debit card information online is 11:59 p.m. (MST) Thursday, March 12, 2015.

Wildlife Violator Compact The Interstate Wildlife Violator Compact is an agreement that recognizes suspension of hunting, fishing, and trapping licenses in 44 member states. This means that illegal activities in one state can affect a person's hunting or fishing privileges in all participating states. Any person whose license privileges or rights are suspended in Arizona may also be suspended in member states.

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License Information

Who Can Go?

Everyone needs a license to hunt wildlife in Arizona. You need in your possession a valid hunt or combination hunt and fish license, plus any required hunt permit-tags, nonpermit-tags, or stamps. Neither a Short-term Combination Hunting and Fishing License nor an Apprentice Hunting License is valid for big game.

Youth ages 10–17 must purchase a Youth Combination Hunting and Fishing license. The license fee is \$5.

A person under 10 may hunt wildlife other than big game without a license only when accompanied by a properly licensed person 18 years or older. No more than two unlicensed children may accompany any license holder.

No one under the age of 14 may hunt big game without having completed a Hunter Education Course. No one under age 10 may hunt big game in Arizona. To hunt big game, anyone 10 to 13 years of age must have in their possession a valid combination hunt and fish license, a valid Hunter Education Course completion card, plus any required permit-tags or nonpermit-tags.

Where to Buy Licenses

Arizona hunting licenses may be purchased online at www.azgfd.gov. If you purchase a license online, **you must print the license from your home printer**. The Arizona Game and Fish Department will not mail your license to you. Licenses also can be obtained from any license dealer or Arizona Game and Fish Department office (see locations on page 2 of this booklet).

If you are applying for a big game permit-tag or bonus points on a paper application, you may purchase your general hunt (available for residents only) or combination hunt and fish license while you are entering your application for the draw. The license will not be issued and mailed until the draw is complete.

Lifetime License Holders

If a lifetime license holder changes residency status from Arizona, the licensee must then purchase non-resident stamps, tags, and permits. A non-resident tag or stamp can accompany your lifetime resident license. If you are a lifetime license holder who has moved

out of state, the 10 percent non-resident cap does not apply to you. The lifetime license will remain legal for the taking of all wildlife as permitted by law. Residency may be re-established after moving back to Arizona and meeting the required time period as defined below.

Residency Requirements

“Resident” means a person who is domiciled (claims the state of Arizona as their true, fixed and permanent home and principal residence) in this state for six months immediately preceding the date of application for a license, permit, tag, or stamp and does not claim residency for any purpose in another state or jurisdiction; or is a member of the armed forces of the United States who is on active duty and stationed in this state for either permanent or temporary duty; or is a member of the armed forces of the United States on active duty stationed in another state or country but who lists this state as their home of record at the time of applying for a license, permit, tag, or stamp.

Arizona Residents may purchase a resident license. All other individuals must purchase a non-resident license.

Apprentice License

Resident licensed hunters are able to obtain a free Apprentice Hunting License valid for two days for use when mentoring a new hunter. This affords new hunters the opportunity to “try before you buy,” under the supervision of a licensed hunter.

An apprentice hunting license is valid for two consecutive days when the apprentice is accompanied in the field by a mentor. An apprentice hunting license is valid for the taking of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, and upland game birds. Any required stamps must be purchased in addition to obtaining an Apprentice License. An apprentice may be a resident or non-resident and may only be licensed pursuant to this paragraph once per calendar year. A mentor must be a domiciled resident of this state who is at least 18 years of age and must possess an annual hunting or combination license or a complimentary or lifetime license. A mentor may apply for no more than two apprentice hunting licenses per calendar year. When applying for an

apprentice license, the mentor must name the person he or she will be taking afield.

High Achievement Scout License

The High Achievement Scout License license is offered to a resident youth who has attained either the rank of Eagle Scout (Boy Scout) or received a Gold Award (Girl Scout). The fee for the reduced license is \$5. The applicant must present proof of their rank or award by providing their certification letter, wallet card, or award certificate at any Department office, and complete the High Achievement Scout License application (Form 306, available on the Department website or at any Department office). This license is not available through the draw. At the age of 21, an Eagle Scout or Gold Award recipient is no longer eligible for the High Achievement Scout License license, and from that point forward would be required to purchase an adult license.

Lost License or Tag Replacement

Lost licenses, hunt permit-tags, and nonpermit-tags may be replaced for a \$4 fee at any Arizona Game and Fish Department license dealer. Licenses purchased online can be reprinted for free. Duplicate licenses can be purchased online. Consult R12-4-103 Duplicate Tags and Licenses for additional information. Stamps cannot be replaced, they must be repurchased.

Physically Challenged Hunters

Those hunters who are physically challenged may qualify for a Challenged Hunter Access/Mobility Permit (CHAMP). Consult R12-4-217 for information about this permit (page 123 of the 2014-15 Arizona Hunting Regulations). Contact any Arizona Game and Fish Department office for additional information and application.

Non-US Citizens Wanting to Hunt in Arizona

Pursuant to regulations by the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF), non-immigrant aliens who want to temporarily import firearms and/or ammunition into the United States for the allowable purpose of taking wildlife will need an ATF import permit and valid hunting license in possession at the time of entry/import into the United States. For further information or to make application for the import permit, contact ATF's

License Information

Firearms and Explosives Import Branch at (304) 616-4550, or download an application from the ATF website at www.atf.gov.

Tag Transfers

Should you be unable to use your big game permit, the Department is unable to reimburse you for your fees or reinstate your bonus points. However, under Arizona Revised Statutes and Arizona Game and Fish Commission Rules there are ways people can transfer big game tags. A \$4 transfer fee applies, unless donating to a non-profit organization. The commission may prescribe the manner and conditions of transferring and using permits and tags under this paragraph, including an application process for a qualified organization, to allow a person to transfer the person's big game permit or tag to a qualified organization for use by:

- A minor child who has a life-threatening medical condition or by a minor child who has a permanent physical disability. If a child with a physical disability is under 14 years of age, the child must satisfactorily complete the Arizona hunter education

course or another comparable hunter education course that is approved by the director.

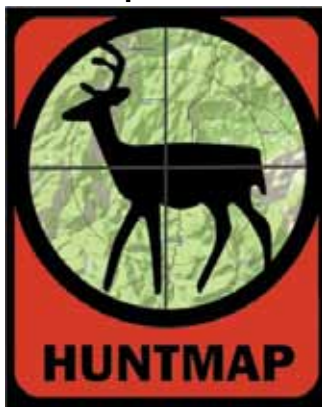
- A veteran of the armed forces of the United States who has a service-connected disability. For the purposes of this paragraph "disability" means a permanent physical impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities requiring the assistance of another person or a mechanical device for physical mobility. "Qualified organization" means a nonprofit organization that is qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the United States internal revenue code and that affords opportunities and experiences to children with life-threatening medical conditions or with physical disabilities or to veterans with service-connected disabilities.

A parent, grandparent or legal guardian may allow the parent's, grandparent's or guardian's minor child or minor grandchild to use the parent's, grandparent's or guardian's big game permit or tag to take big game pursuant to the following requirements:

- The parent, grandparent or guardian must transfer the permit or tag to the child in a manner prescribed by the commission.
- The parent or guardian must accompany the child in the field or, if a grandparent allows a minor grandchild to use the grandparent's permit or tag, the grandparent, the parent or the child's guardian must accompany the child in the field.
- The child must possess a valid hunting license and, if under fourteen years of age, must satisfactorily complete the Arizona hunter education course or another comparable hunter education course that is approved by the director.
- Any big game that is taken counts toward the child's bag limit. Once a tag is transferred at a Department office, the original permittee may no longer use it.

Visit www.azgfd.gov/hunting and scroll to the bottom of the page. There you will find a section titled "Tag Transfer Program." Organizations you can donate your tag to are listed on the page.

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Hunt Permit-tag and License Fee Information

LICENSES	PRIVILEGES	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
General Hunting ¹	Allows take of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, and upland game birds. A valid tag or stamp is required for the take of big game animals and migratory game birds.	\$37	Not available. See Combination.
Combination Hunt and Fish ^{1,2}	Allows take of all aquatic wildlife statewide, including Community Fishing waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, and upland game birds. A valid tag or stamp is required for the take of big game animals and migratory game birds.	\$57	\$160
Youth Combination Hunt and Fish ^{1,2} (ages 10–17)	Allows take of all aquatic wildlife statewide, including Community Fishing waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, migratory birds and upland game birds. A valid tag is required for the take of big game animals.	\$5	\$5
Short-term Combination Hunt and Fish ^{2,3}	Allows take of all aquatic wildlife statewide, including Community Fishing waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, and upland game birds. A valid stamp is required for the take of migratory game birds.	\$15/day	\$20/day

HUNT PERMIT-TAGS <i>Obtained only through application and drawing procedures, prices shown include a \$13 application fee per applicant for residents and a \$15 application fee per applicant for non-residents.⁴</i>	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	RESIDENT YOUTH	NON-RESIDENT YOUTH
Bonus Point	\$13	\$15	\$13	\$15
Antelope Hunt Permit-tag	\$103	\$565	\$103	\$565
Bighorn Sheep Hunt Permit-tag	\$313	\$1,815	\$313	\$1,815
Turkey Hunt Permit-tag	\$38	\$105	\$23 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)	\$25 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)
Bear Hunt Permit-tag	\$38	\$165	\$38	\$165
Javelina Hunt Permit-tag	\$38	\$115	\$28 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)	\$30 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)
Elk Hunt Permit-tag	\$148	\$665	\$63 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)	\$65 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)
Deer Hunt Permit-tag	\$58	\$315	\$38 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)	\$40 ⁷ (for Youth-Only hunts)
Pheasant Hunt Permit-tag	\$13	\$15	\$13	\$15
Buffalo – Bull/Any Hunt Permit-tag	\$1,113	\$5,415	\$1,113	\$5,415
Buffalo – Cow/Yearling Hunt Permit-tag	\$663	\$3,265	\$663	\$3,265
Buffalo – Yearling only Hunt Permit-tag	\$363	\$1,765	\$363	\$1,765
Sandhill Crane Hunt Permit-tag (2 tags)	\$33	\$35	\$33	\$35
Raptor Hunt Permit-tag	\$13	\$15	\$13	\$15
NONPERMIT-TAGS <i>These tags may be purchased over-the-counter at Department offices or license dealers.</i>	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	RESIDENT YOUTH	NON-RESIDENT YOUTH
Archery Turkey Nonpermit-tag	\$25	\$90	AMENDED JAN 3.	AMENDED JAN 3.
Youth-Only Turkey Nonpermit-tag			\$10	\$10
Bear Nonpermit-tag ⁵	\$25	\$150		
Mountain Lion Nonpermit-tag ⁵	\$15	\$75		
Javelina Nonpermit-tag	\$25	\$100		
Elk Nonpermit-tag	\$135	\$650		
Archery Deer Nonpermit-tag	\$45	\$300		
Bobcat Seal (for sale or export) ⁶	\$3	\$3		
STAMPS	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	YOUTH⁸	
Migratory Bird Stamp <i>Allows take of band-tailed pigeons, moorhen, coots, doves, geese, snipe, and swans (Valid July 1 – June 30)</i>	\$5	\$5	<i>Included with Youth Combination license</i>	
Federal Waterfowl Stamp (valid July 1 – June 30)	\$15	\$15	\$15	

Notes:

- Licenses are valid one year from date of purchase.
- All licenses that allow fishing allow for simultaneous fishing with two poles.
- A Short-term Combo license may be purchased for any day. Purchaser selects date(s) of validity at time of purchase. If purchased for multiple days, the days need not be consecutive.
- A portion of the application fees are designated for habitat, access and recruitment/retention.
- Mandatory harvest reporting and physical check-in.
- Not available at license dealers.
- Permit-tag fees are for "Youth-Only" designated hunts. **A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Youth-Only" hunts.**
- Youth, 16 years of age and older, are required to purchase a federal waterfowl stamp.

Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule – Winter 2015

Hunt permit-tag applications will be accepted and processed in accordance with R12-4-104 and R12-4-114 and this schedule.

Drawing

	ACCEPTANCE DATES ¹	DEADLINE DATES ²	
HUNT	Applications accepted on or after:	Deadline 7 p.m. (MST) in Department offices on:	Hunt permit-tags and refund warrants mailed out by:
Antelope	(See note 1)	Feb. 10, 2015	April 17, 2015
Elk	(See note 1)	Feb. 10, 2015	April 17, 2015

First Come ³

	Applications accepted by mail on or after 8:00 a.m. (MST):	Permits available for purchase with a completed application at all Department offices after 8:00 a.m. (MST)
HUNT	ACCEPTANCE DATES	ACCEPTANCE DATES
Antelope	April 20, 2015	April 27, 2015
Elk	April 20, 2015	April 27, 2015

Online Applicants ⁴

Deadline for updating your credit or debit card information online by 11:59 p.m. (MST)
Thursday, March 12, 2015

Notes:

1. The Department will accept Hunt Permit-tag Applications for big game listed above as soon as the applicable year's hunt information is available on the Department's Web site (www.azgfd.gov), or from any Game and Fish Department office or license dealer, unless otherwise noted in the Hunt Permit-tag Application schedule.
2. Department offices at Flagstaff, Kingman, Mesa, Phoenix, Pinetop, Tucson and Yuma will close for business at 5 p.m. (MST); completed applications will be accepted at these locations until 7 p.m. (MST) on deadline days. No applications will be accepted after this time regardless of the postmark. Deadline dates and times will apply to online as well as paper applications. Deadline dates may be extended in the event of a Department-related system failure that prevents the public from submitting an application within the deadlines listed above. The online system slow down due to heavy traffic is not considered a Department-related system failure and may not result in a deadline extension. Applicants are encouraged to apply early to avoid the last minute rush. Application assistance can be obtained Monday through Friday (8 a.m.–5 p.m. MST) by contacting the Department. Only on deadline day, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., after the close of normal business, the Department can be reached at 623-236-7424 for online application assistance.
3. First come permits are issued if available and will sell very quickly. Applicants are advised to check with the Department before submitting an application for leftover permits. A listing of leftover permits is available online at www.azgfd.gov or at any Department office. To submit first come applications by U.S. mail only, please send to: 5000 W. Carefree Highway, Phoenix, AZ 85086, ATTN: DRAW/FIRST COME. No person, including Youth, may submit more than one valid application per genus for the First Come process.
4. Online applicants are encouraged to keep their payment information current. If your payment is rejected at the time of the draw, your application may be rejected. The Department will attempt to contact the payee and/or applicant A three times within two business days to accept an alternate payment method if a phone number and/or email is provided.

Draw Information

The Draw

When the number of hunt permits for a species in a particular area must be limited to prevent over-harvest of wildlife, the Commission Order governing seasons for that species assigns a hunt number to a designated area, and a hunt permit-tag is required to take that species in that area. Hunt permit-tags are issued through a computerized random drawing. Big game tags not issued through the drawing process are nonpermit-tags.

Qualifications

Individuals wishing to participate in a drawing or to obtain bonus points must apply online or in writing using the Hunt Permit-tag Application Form, and submit the form by the deadline specified in the Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule found in the current year's hunt regulations (page 7).

An applicant must possess a license (including lifetime, pioneer or disabled veteran's) that is valid on the last day of the application deadline for that draw. **Youth applying for big game hunts must be licensed.** If an applicant does not have a license that meets that requirement, he or she must purchase the license at the time of application. An applicant must submit the information and fees required for a license on **each** paper application submitted. Only one license will be issued. License refunds will be made for additional applications. Licenses will not be issued until the draw occurs.

Applying for a Hunt

The online application service will be available early to mid-January please see page 10 or visit azgfd.gov/draw for more information.

Paper applications for hunt permit-tags must be made on Hunt Permit-tag Application Forms available at Department offices, website, and license dealers. Please use the current year's application form, that is **WHITE** in color. **Do not cut or alter application form.** Applications not prepared in a legible manner may be deemed not valid and shall be rejected as specified in R12-4-104(O). Use standard blue or black ink (no gel ink).

No more than four people may apply on one application in one envelope. All applicants in a group must apply for the same hunt

number(s) and in the same order of preference on the same form.

No person, including Youth, may submit more than one valid application per genus of wildlife in any calendar year, except as specified in R12-4-104(L), when genera are drawn in multiple drawings; however the annual bag limit still applies.

Each applicant shall complete only one block per application.

No more than one genus may be included on each Hunt Permit-tag Application Form. **Use a separate form, payment and envelope for each genus of wildlife you wish to hunt. More than one (1) application in an envelope may result in rejection of all applications.** You can list a general hunt as your first choice and another weapon type hunt for the same genus as another choice on the same application—just be sure they are in the same numerical series. Use only one application per genus, even if you are mixing weapon choices.

Hunt Permit, Bonus Points Disclaimer

The issuance of any big game permit has no express or implied guarantee or warranty of hunter success. Any person holding a valid permit assumes the risk that circumstances beyond the control of the Arizona Game and Fish Department may prevent the permit holder from using the permit. In such situations, the Arizona Game and Fish Department disclaims any responsibility to reissue or replace a permit, to reinstate bonus points or to refund any fees, except under specific circumstances, such as activation of military or emergency personnel, as stated in R12-4-107(L).

Fees

Information about fees associated with the online draw process may be found on page 10.

When submitting paper applications, each applicant shall enclose the following fees:

1. The fee for the appropriate hunt permit-tag, which includes the permit application fee.

2. Fee for a hunting or combination hunt and fish license, if a license is requested. Be sure to enclose license fees on **each** application, if required, for each person who is applying on the application for a license. Only one license will be issued per person.

3. **Discounted hunt permit-tag fees are for "Youth-Only" designated hunts. A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Youth-Only" hunts.**

Each payment enclosed with a hunt permit-tag application shall be made by certified check, cashier's check, money order, or personal check or draft payable to the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Cash will not be accepted and will result in rejection.

One personal check or money order can cover all fees for each application, or separate checks or money orders may be submitted in one envelope for each individual applicant.

The permit and license fees are specified in the fee schedule on page 6. The hunt permit-tag fees on page 6 include the non-refundable application fee.

Submitting Applications

The online application service will be available in early to mid-January. Please check the Department's website or sign up for free e-newsletters for regular updates. You can register for e-news at www.azgfd.gov/signup.

Attention online applicants: Deadline for updating your credit or debit card information online is 11:59 p.m. (MST) Thursday, March 12, 2015.

Applications (except first-come, Sandhill Crane, and Raptor applications) may be hand-delivered to Department offices in Phoenix, Mesa, Tucson, Flagstaff, Pinetop, Kingman, or Yuma. Mailed applications must be sent only to the Department's Phoenix Office at P.O. Box 74020, Phoenix, AZ 85087-1052. On deadline days, Department business offices close at 5:00 p.m. (MST), but applications can be delivered to drop boxes until 7:00 p.m. (MST). Drop boxes are locked promptly at 7:00 p.m. (MST). All applications must be **received by** the Department before the deadline. Deadlines for submission are specified in the Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule on page 7. **Postmarks don't count.**

Draw Information

Applications will be accepted as soon as the applicable year's hunt regulations are available. Please consult the current year's hunt regulations as unit areas and season dates may change each year.

Complete and proper preparation of an application is the sole responsibility of the applicant.

What Happens to My Application?

Any application not properly prepared, submitted with insufficient fees or one that is illegible is not valid and will be rejected.

If any applicant in a group is rejected for any reason, all other applicants in that group will also be rejected and no bonus points will be awarded.

No hunt permit-tag will be issued to anyone in a group if there are not sufficient hunt permit-tags available for all applicants in that group.

Hunt permit-tags will be mailed to each successful applicant.

What if I'm not Drawn?

Please use one of the methods (Internet or telephone) listed on this page to access draw results. These methods of access shall serve as the official notification of draw results.

Over-payments and hunt permit-tag fees received with unsuccessful applications will be returned to applicant "A," as shown on the Hunt Permit-tag Application Form. Application and license fees will not be refunded. You will not be issued more than one license and a refund of any remaining fees will be issued.

If you or a member of your group elected to donate your fees or a portion thereof, the donation will not be refunded.

If an application is rejected and a license has been requested, the license will not be issued. The license fee will be refunded, however, the application fee will not be refunded.

Unsuccessful, valid applications will be awarded bonus points.

Big game hunt permit-tags remaining after the drawing will be issued on a first-come,

first-served basis as specified in the Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule on page 7.

First-come permit-tag results are not posted. If successful, you will receive your tag in the mail within 10-15 business days.

Obtaining a Bonus Point Only

In the event you do not wish to participate in a big game drawing for species offered in this draw, but still wish to accumulate bonus points for these genera, you may "obtain a bonus point."

When completing your application, you must choose the bonus point hunt number established for that genus as your first choice. A bonus point hunt number is established within each applicable Commission Order. If you choose this hunt number, you may not choose any other hunt number on your application. **If the bonus point hunt number is any choice other than the first choice or any other hunt numbers appear on the application, your application will be rejected.** You may obtain only one bonus point per genus per drawing.

To apply for a bonus point only, the individual must be 10 years old by the deadline date as specified in the Hunt Permit-tag Application Schedule on page 7.

To apply for a bonus point only, you must have previously purchased a hunting license or apply for a hunting license through the draw for the year in which the hunt will take place. You must also include the application fee per applicant. If applying for a bonus point, you will not receive a refund on the license fee or the application fee. Do not include the fee for the hunt permit-tag for the genus in which you are applying for the bonus point. **A bonus point costs you only the license fee (if needed) and the application fee per applicant. See page 6 for license fees.**

If applying for more than one species for bonus points, you must complete a separate application for each species. Only a single application and the correct fees may be included in one envelope.

If you apply for a bonus point only using the established bonus point hunt number,

you may **NOT** submit another application for the same genus. To do so will cause both applications to be rejected as duplicate applications.

All applicants in a group must apply for the same established bonus point hunt number. The application will not be included in the random number drawing and the individual(s) on the application will each receive a bonus point for that genus.

Useful Phone Numbers

Want To Know If You Were Drawn?

Call the Arizona Game and Fish Department's automated service at (602) 942-3000. Press 2 and follow voice prompts. You must provide your Department ID Number and birth date. This service is free of charge (long distance charges may apply). Or visit the Arizona Game and Fish Department website at: www.azgfd.gov.

Main Number: (602) 942-3000

Choose 1 for known extension or name

Choose 2 for Draw, Bonus Points and Hunting and Fishing license info.

Choose 3 for Watercraft

Choose 4 for Regions

Choose 5 for Customer Service

Choose 6 for Shooting Range

Report a Game or Fish Violation

1 (800) 352-0700

Report Vandalism or Livestock Depredation

1 (800) VANDALS (826-3257)

Mandatory Harvest Reporting of:

These numbers are only for reporting your bear and mountain lion harvests.

Bear 1 (800) 970-BEAR (2327)

Lion 1 (877) 438-0447

The online application will be available early to mid-January.

Why apply online?

There are many advantages to submitting an online application:

- Apply from home or work – no driving, no mailing;
- Easy to meet the deadline – go to www.azgfd.gov and click on Big Game Draw;
- Reduces chances for errors (you must still read your options closely);
- The initial cost to you is only the application fee and license fee (if you don't already have a current license);
- The permit-tag cost will only be charged if you are drawn for that species; and
- Easy to donate to the Big Game Habitat Fund and benefit wildlife populations.

What if I buy a license when I apply for my hunt?

If you purchase a hunting or fishing license online, you must print the license from your home printer. Your license will not be mailed to you.

Are there any additional fees for applying online?

No. The application fee per applicant is the same whether applying online or by paper. The resident application fee is \$13.00 per application; the nonresident application fee is \$15.00 per application.

Can I apply for a bonus point only?

Yes. Select Bonus Point Only when prompted. You must have a current hunting license or purchase one. You will be charged the appropriate application fee (\$13 for residents, \$15 for nonresidents).

What are the license requirements?

When applying for a hunt, you must have a license valid through deadline day of that draw. If drawn for a hunt permit-tag, you must also have a valid license at the time of the hunt. These may not be the same license under the new 365 day licenses. Please contact customer service if you have any questions. See page 9 for phone numbers.

How do I pay?

A valid credit or debit card (Visa or MasterCard) must be used when applying online. Your card will be charged once for the application fee and second time if you are successful in drawing a permit-tag. Your hunt application will be rejected if either payment transaction is denied by the credit or debit card institute. If you successfully draw a permit-tag but your card is not approved for payment, the Department will make three attempts within two business days to notify you and offer you the opportunity to provide an alternate payment card within a specified timeframe. If the Department has not

received an alternate payment at the end of that specified timeframe, your application will be rejected. No exceptions will be made for individuals who do not respond to the Department's attempts to contact them. Deadline for updating credit or debit card information online is 11:59 p.m. (MST) Thursday, March 12, 2015.

IMPORTANT: Applicants are encouraged to keep their credit or debit card information up to date, if your card becomes invalid for any reason before the credit card update deadline, update your information online for **each** species you applied for by selecting the "update my payment information" option and providing the required information. The Department is not responsible for any overdraft charge incurred due to insufficient funds.

To apply online, simply log on to the Arizona Game and Fish Department website at www.azgfd.gov, place the cursor on "Big Game Draw" located on the green bar on the main Web page and follow the step by-step instructions. You will have 45 minutes to complete your online application. We recommend you have your hunter list (including first and last names, dates of birth, Department identification number, and social security number) and hunt choices completed with all the required information for each hunter prior to logging on to apply. This will make for a quicker application process.

How to Apply for the Draw: Paper

If you choose not to participate in the online application, you must correctly fill out and sign a paper hunt permit-tag application form and submit it by mail or drop it off to any of the seven Arizona Game and Fish Department offices along with a check or money order for the correct amount. Paper application forms are available at all Department offices, more than 300 license dealers statewide, and as a downloadable PDF electronic document from the Department's website at www.azgfd.gov/draw. A list of dealers can be found on the Department's website.

R12-4-104 and R12-4-114 explain application and drawing procedures in detail. Complete and proper preparation of an application is the sole responsibility of the applicant. If any applicant in the group fails to complete any required portion of the application, all applicants in the group will be rejected.

1. You must use a separate application, a separate payment AND a separate envelope for each genus (deer, elk, etc.) for which you apply. No more than one (1) application (up to 4 applicants) may be included in the same envelope. NOTE: All hunt choices for each genus, regardless of weapon type, must be requested on the same application.
2. You must use valid Hunt Numbers; make sure you refer to appropriate Hunting Regulations. Do not use game management unit numbers.
3. In accordance with federal requirement, 42 U.S.C. Section 666 A13 and state requirement, A.R.S. 25-320 (P) and 25-502 (K), you must provide your Social Security Number in the space provided. This is kept on file with the Department of Economic Security for use in identifying and tracking child support offenders. If you are not a U.S. Citizen you must write "Not US Citiz" in the Social Security field. Applicants declaring "Not US Citiz" must provide a Department I.D. Number (refer to item #7).
4. You must fill in your name, home mailing address, city, state, and zip code. You must include your date of birth. You must specify your date of birth with a two-digit month, a two-digit day, and a four-digit year. (For example: if you were born on Jan. 5, 1950, you would write: 01-05-1950 in the Date of Birth field.)
5. You must check either the resident or non-resident box for each applicant.

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6. You must either enter your Arizona Hunting License Number (including the two-character prefix) OR you must fill out the LICENSE FORM section (bottom portion for each applicant) and specify the class of license you wish to purchase by checking the appropriate box and include payment for that license with each application. An applicant must possess a license that is valid on the last day of the application deadline for that draw. If an applicant does not have a license that meets that requirement, they must purchase the license at the time of application. No license refund will be issued if you are not drawn. Only one license will be issued to you. License refunds will be made for additional applications. Licenses will not be issued until the draw occurs.
7. You must enter your Department I.D. Number (previously called Sportsman I.D.) if different from your Social Security Number. This number is only for those individuals who use a Department issued I.D. Number instead of a Social Security Number to track bonus points or for non-U.S. citizens. You must still provide a valid Social Security Number or "Not US Citiz." NOTE: A Department I.D. Number must be obtained from AZGFD prior to application.
8. The applicant or an appointed individual must sign each completed applicant block.
9. Each applicant shall complete only one block per application (for example: Applicant A, Applicant B, etc.)
10. You must include all information per applicant in one block only. You may not use multiple applicant blocks to provide information for one applicant.
11. You must include ALL the appropriate license, permit, and application fees in each envelope. No cash will be accepted. Any check returned to the Department for non-payment will result in rejection of your application.
12. You must refer to the appropriate Hunting Regulations to obtain the current fees for licenses and/or hunt permit-tags or you may call the Department at (602) 942-3000 for that information.
13. Only Hunting; Hunting and Fishing Combo; and Youth Combo licenses are available for residents through the draw. Only Hunting and Fishing Combo and Youth Combo licenses are available for nonresidents through the draw.
14. Enclose check, cashier's check, or money order payable to the Arizona Game and Fish Department for the total amount due, along with your application and mail to: Arizona Game and Fish Department P.O. Box 74020 Phoenix, AZ 85087-1052; or drop it off at any Department office.

Learn Outdoor Skills: Hunt, Trap, Fish, Shoot, Wildlife Recreation

The Arizona Game and Fish Department is dedicated to introducing people to the American tradition of hunting by offering a wide variety of hunting and shooting programs. These programs are designed to get you in the field with a parent, guardian or mentor who can focus and provide guidance needed to teach the next generation of hunters how to be safe, responsible stewards and ethical conservationists.

To provide plenty of opportunities, Game and Fish is partnering with sportsmen's groups, gun clubs and conservation organizations to host mentored events and camps for beginners to assure a positive experience hunting in the great outdoors. Below is a listing of some of the upcoming events.

Jan. 16-18, 2015: SFL Archery Javelina Hunt

Young archers and their parents will be mentored on bowhunting for javelina, group campsite, and more.

- Location: Lake Pleasant Regional Park, Unit 20B / 26M
- Hosted by: Shoot for Life Archery Club
- Register: Joe Darago, www.sflarizona.org, joedarago@me.com

Jan. 22-25, 2015: Beginners Small Game & Junior Javelina Camp

Camp with other hunters and Wildlife Managers to learn tips on where and how to hunt quail, jackrabbits (all ages) and predators, as well as javelina for youth with 37B tags, some meals provided.

- Location: Florence area, Unit 37B
- Hosted by: Arizona Game and Fish, Red Bear Outfitters, Arizona Elk Society, OHV Ambassadors
- Information: John McGehee, JMcgehee@azgfd.gov, (520) 628-5376

Jan. 22-25, 2015: YOU 20C Junior's Javelina Camp

Learn to locate and hunt javelina, other outdoor activities, campout, and food provided.

- Location: Hillside, Unit 20C
- Hosted by: Youth Outdoors Unlimited
- Register: www.youthoutdoorsunlimited.com

Feb. 12-15, 2015: Women's Javelina HAM Hunt Camp

For women new to hunting who want to learn how to hunt javelina. Food, gear, and experienced mentors are provided for novice hunters.

- Location: S.W. Tucson area, Units 36A/B/C
- Hosted by: Coueswhitetail.com, Arizona Chapter of Safari Club International, Team Young Gunz, and Southern Arizona Chapter of National Wild Turkey Federation.
- Register: www.coueswhitetail.com/womens_javelina_hunt_2015.htm, Amanda Moors (928) 200-0544, amanda@coueswhitetail.com



March 6-8, 2015: Junior Jack Kamp

Learn to hunt jackrabbits and other outdoor skills, hunter education req'd, space is limited to beginners, food provided.

- Location: Tucson area, Three Points
- Hosted by: Arizona Chapter of Safari Club International, Arizona Game and Fish
- Register: Karen Klima KKlima@azgfd.gov, (520) 975-6490

April 16-19, 2015: Marvin Robbins Junior's Spring Turkey Hunting Camp

Learn and get assistance calling and hunting wild turkeys, seminars, outdoor skill activities, camping, and food.

- Location: Happy Jack area, V bar V Ranch, Units 6A, 5A, 5B
- Hosted by: National Wild Turkey Federation, Outdoor Experience 4 All, Arizona Bowhunters Association, Xtreme Predator Callers, Arizona Game and Fish
- Register: Tim Denny, longbeardsaz@gmail.com

April 16-19, 2015: Marvin Robbins Junior's Spring Turkey Hunting Camp

Learn and get assistance calling and hunting wild turkeys, seminars, outdoor skill activities, camping and food.

- Locations: Payson area, Colcord Ridge Campground, Units 23, 4A, 4B, 3C

- Hosted by: National Wild Turkey Federation, Arizona Elk Society, Phoenix Varmint Callers, Arizona Game and Fish
- Register: Rich Williams, azgobbler60@gmail.com

April 16-19, 2015: Wallow Fire Turkey Science and Hunting Camp

Learn and get assistance calling and hunting wild turkeys, wildfire and wildlife sciences, seminars, outdoor skill activities, camping, and food.

- Location: White Mountains area, Unit 1, 27
- Hosted by: Youth Outdoors Unlimited, Southern Arizona Chapter of National Wild Turkey Federation, Arizona Elk Society, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, Arizona Game and Fish
- Register: www.youthoutdoorsunlimited.com



To view a calendar of events online, visit www.azgfd.gov/outdoorskills

Clinics, Raffles and Partnerships

Arizona Antelope Foundation

The Arizona Antelope Foundation will hold its annual Antelope Hunter Clinic Saturday, June 13, 2015, at the Arizona Game and Fish Department headquarters in Phoenix. Topics will include optics, trophy evaluation, photography, taxidermy, practical field care and hunting tactics for firearms and archery. In addition to the formal presentations, representatives from the Arizona Game and Fish Department will be on hand to discuss hunting hotspots and access in the game management units drawn by the hunters in attendance – bring your hunting maps! Look for details at www.azantelope.org.

Arizona Elk Society Elk Hunting Clinic

The Arizona Elk Society will hold its Annual Elk Hunting Clinic July 25, 2015. For information visit www.arizonaelksociety.org or call (602) 492-5319. This seminar will be full of great information about hunting elk with a bow or a rifle; locating elk during the early and late hunting seasons; effectively calling elk; as well as meat care, cape preparation, and proper use of optics to locate elk in the field. The clinic will be a great education tool for first time hunters and seasoned hunters. For more information about the Elk Hunting Clinic as well as the Arizona Elk Society visit www.arizonaelksociety.org.

Thank You Hunters and Recreational Shooters

Arizona's rich outdoor heritage is enjoyed by all – thanks to hunters like you, whose purchase of hunting and recreational shooting equipment supports wildlife management and habitat enhancement in the Grand Canyon State. When you purchase a rifle, ammunition, archery equipment, and other sporting gear, you pay a federal excise tax and import duties.

Since 1937, this money has been collected by the federal government and redistributed to the states using a formula based on hunting license sales and the state's land area. In 2014, that meant more than \$19 million for game management in Arizona. This money paid for game surveys, hunter education classes, wildlife water catchment construction, wildlife research and shooting range development and operations, among other projects.

Hunters like you are part of the largest and most successful wildlife conservation programs in the world...thank you.



Arizona Elk Society Junior Elk Hunters Camp

The Arizona Elk Society's Junior Elk Hunters Camp will be Oct. 8–11, 2015, at Happy Jack Lodge in Happy Jack, Ariz. This event is held every year in conjunction with the Unit 6A Youth Elk Hunt. Thursday night the AES serves free dinner to all youth hunters and their families, after which they have a seminar on hunter safety, finding elk, meat care and more. There will be lots of free give-a-ways for the youth hunters. Free lunch will be served Friday and Saturday, seminars will be held and mentors available if needed. The Arizona Elk Society offers support throughout the weekend for game locating and retrieval, as well as anything else the youth need during the hunt. Check out this event and others at www.arizonaelksociety.org. Call (602) 492-5319 for information.

Arizona Big Game Super Raffle

Each year since 2006, the Arizona Game and Fish Commission has awarded the AZBGSR 10 Special Big Game Tags, one each for the 10 big game species we have here in Arizona. The 365-day season dates are Aug. 15, 2015 through Aug. 14, 2016, and include most units statewide. The webcast drawing will be held in early July 2015. The 2015 raffle also includes an optics raffle, featuring more than \$14,000 in Swarovski equipment; a trophy New Mexico Bull Elk hunt, sponsored by James Guide Service, also will be featured. Since the raffle's inception in 2006, more than \$4.2 million has been raised, with 100 percent of these tag funds being used to complete wildlife projects here in the state of Arizona. Please visit the AZBGSR website at www.arizonabiggamesuperraffle.com to purchase tickets, or if you have any questions regarding ticket prices, deadlines, or the drawing time and location.

2015 Arizona Game & Fish Department OUTDOOR EXPO



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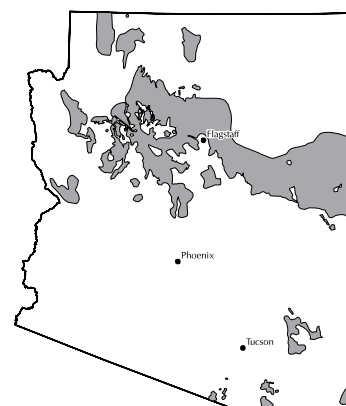
Don't use the Internet?

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Pronghorn Antelope Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on pronghorn antelope, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license EXCEPT a Short-term Combination Hunt and Fish and an Apprentice Hunting License (See tables on page 6 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit-tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	General Hunt: Any firearm, bow and arrow, or crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Muzzleloader Hunt: Muzzleloader weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Archery-Only Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and/or crossbow as allowed under R12-4-216.
Legal Animal Definition	Buck antelope means a male pronghorn antelope, as defined in R12-4-101.
Bag Limit	One (1) pronghorn antelope per calendar year, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.
<i>To hunt pronghorn antelope in Arizona you need a valid Arizona hunting or combination license and an antelope tag. To hunt antelope in any season, you must apply through a draw for a hunt permit-tag.</i>	

Pronghorn Antelope: Commission Order 3

GENERAL PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
2000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 9 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).				
2001	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		1	Buck antelope	25
2002	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		2A	Buck antelope	25
2003	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		2C	Buck antelope	10
2004	Oct 2 - Oct 11, 2015		3A	Buck antelope	25
2005	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		3C	Buck antelope	3
2006	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(17)	4A	Buck antelope	20
2007	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		4B	Buck antelope	30
2008	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(6,13,17)	5A	Buck antelope	7
2009	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(6,13,17)	5B	Buck antelope	18
2010	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		6A	Buck antelope	7
2011	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(9)	6B South	Buck antelope	1
2012	Oct 2 - Oct 11, 2015	(13)	7	Buck antelope	48

Pronghorn Antelope Hunts

Pronghorn Antelope: Commission Order 3 (continued)

GENERAL PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
2013	Oct 2 - Oct 11, 2015	(13)	9	Buck antelope	40
2014	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(13,18)	10	Buck antelope	100
2015	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(5,13)	12A and 12B	Buck antelope	2
2016	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(5,13)	13A	Buck antelope	10
2017	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(5,13)	13B	Buck antelope	10
2018	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		17A	Buck antelope	3
2019	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(13)	18A	Buck antelope	10
2020	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(13)	18B	Buck antelope	15
2021	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(4,7,15)	19A (north of AZ Hwy 89A and that portion south of AZ Hwy 89A that is east of Fain Rd, north of AZ Hwy 69/169, and west of FR 151/643)	Buck antelope	30
2022	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(4)	19B	Buck antelope	5
2023	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(5,13)	21	Buck antelope	13
2024	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(4,13)	30A	Buck antelope	6
2025	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(12,13)	31 and 32	Buck antelope	3
----	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(10,17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Buck antelope	---
----	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(10,13,17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Buck antelope	---
----	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(10,13,17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B	Buck antelope	---
Total					466

MUZZLELOADER PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
2026	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		2B	Buck antelope	10
2027	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(1)	3B North	Buck antelope	2
2028	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(2)	3B South	Buck antelope	2
2029	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015		8	Buck antelope	30
2030	Sep 4 - Sep 13, 2015	(13)	15A and 15B	Buck antelope	2
2031	Sep 4 - Sep 10, 2015	(4)	17B and 19B	Buck antelope	6
2032	Sep 4 - Sep 10, 2015	(13)	18A	Buck antelope	5
2033	Sep 4 - Sep 10, 2015	(4,15)	19A (north of US Hwy 89A)	Buck antelope	10
Total					67

ARCHERY-ONLY PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
2034	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015		1	Buck antelope	30
2035	Aug 14 - Aug 27, 2015		3A	Buck antelope	10
2036	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(1)	3B North	Buck antelope	5
2037	Aug 7 - Aug 20, 2015	(2)	3B South	Buck antelope	5
2038	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(2)	3B South	Buck antelope	5
2039	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(17)	4A	Buck antelope	5
2040	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015		4B	Buck antelope	15
2041	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(6,17)	5A	Buck antelope	4
2042	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(6,17)	5B	Buck antelope	9
2043	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(3,8,16)	6B North (except Camp Navajo)	Buck antelope	10
2044	Aug 14 - Aug 27, 2015		7	Buck antelope	10
2045	Aug 14 - Aug 27, 2015		9	Buck antelope	5
2046	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(18)	10	Buck antelope	70
2047	Aug 21 - Sep 10, 2015	(14,16)	11M	Buck antelope	5
2048	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(5)	12A and 12B	Buck antelope	3
2049	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015		15A and 15B	Buck antelope	2
2050	Aug 7 - Aug 20, 2015	(4)	17B and 19B	Buck antelope	5
2051	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(4)	17B and 19B	Buck antelope	5
2052	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015		18A	Buck antelope	10
2053	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015		18B	Buck antelope	5

Pronghorn Antelope Hunts

Pronghorn Antelope: Commission Order 3 (continued)

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
2054	Aug 7 - Aug 20, 2015	(4,7,15)	19A (north of AZ Hwy 89A and the portion south of AZ Hwy 89A that is east of Robert Road, north of AZ Hwy 69/169, and west of FR 151/643)	Buck antelope	20
2055	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(4,7,15)	19A (north of AZ Hwy 89A and the portion south of AZ Hwy 89A that is east of Robert Road, north of AZ Hwy 69/169, and west of FR 151/643)	Buck antelope	20
2056	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(5)	21	Buck antelope	10
2057	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(12)	31 and 32	Buck antelope	4
----	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(3)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Buck antelope	---
----	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Buck antelope	---
----	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(10,17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Buck antelope	---
----	Aug 21 - Sep 3, 2015	(10,17)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B	Buck antelope	---
Total					272

Pronghorn Antelope Notes:

- 3B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 3B located north of U.S. Hwy 60.
- 3B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 3B located south of U.S. Hwy 60.
- Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to antelope hunting only to properly license hunters who meet the qualifications as "Authorized Participants" according to the installation hunting policies outlined on the Camp Navajo Website. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Hunters must log onto the National Guard Website and read the installation policies and security requirements in order to have access Camp Navajo hunt numbers: <http://www.azguard.gov/CampNavajo.htm>. An applicant who applies for a category of permit for which he or she is not eligible to participate may not be authorized to participate in the hunt. All hunters are required to show proof of attendance to a hunter safety education course during paperwork submission for the Camp Navajo permit. Increases in Force Protection Conditions, training missions and industrial operations may result in partial or complete hunt cancellation at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department or Camp Navajo. Camp Navajo will charge a recreation fee for all hunters. No cash will be taken, only personnel checks and money orders. The cost of the recreation fee can be found at the Camp Navajo Website above or by emailing the hunt coordinator at the email address found on Camp Navajo's website.
- Hunter access in this unit is restricted. Applicants should secure access before applying.
- The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting when the unit they occur in is open to hunting.
- In the northern portion of Unit 5A, access is permitted on the Clear Creek Ranch by written permission only by contacting the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program via e-mail at hopihunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605 from Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. Please contact in advance to gain access for hunting and scouting. In Unit 5B North access is permitted on the Hopi's Hart/Drye Ranch and in Unit 4A on the Hopi's Aja Ranch by signing in at designated sign-in boxes located at access points.
- Vehicle access into portions of 19A (specifically within the following: south of US Hwy 89A, east of Robert Rd, north of AZ Hwy 169/69, and west of FR151/643) is restricted. Foot access is unrestricted.
- 6B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6B located north of the following: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Hwy 89A (mp 371) and FR 152 (Dry Creek Rd.); north on FR 152 to FR 152C (Boynton Pass Rd.); west on FR 152C to FR 525 (Red Canyon Rd.); northwest on FR 525 to the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary at Gate 2 of 9999 Red Canyon Rd.; westerly along the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary to the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary (at the gate in section 18); southwesterly along the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary to Dogie Trail (Forest Trail 116); northwest on Dogie Trail to Sycamore Creek.
- 6B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6B located south of the following: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Hwy 89A (mp 371) and FR 152 (Dry Creek Rd.); north on FR 152 to FR 152C (Boynton Pass Rd.); west on FR 152C to FR 525 (Red Canyon Rd.); northwest on FR 525 to the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary at Gate 2 of 9999 Red Canyon Rd.; westerly along the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary to the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary (at the gate in section 18); southwesterly along the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary to Dogie Trail (Forest Trail 116); northwest on Dogie Trail to Sycamore Creek.
- Hopi Trust lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B are open to both state and Hopi hunters under an agreement with the Hopi Tribe. A percentage of tags are set aside for Hopi Tribal member hunters. Hopi hunt numbers for these hunts must be obtained from the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605. Non-Hopi Tribal members cannot apply for these hunts. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department on the standard form by

Pronghorn Antelope Hunts

Pronghorn Antelope Notes continued:

the published deadline. If all permits for these hunts are not issued through the draw, the left-over permits will be available to all hunters (tribal and non-tribal) through the first-come, first-serve process. Hunt numbers for left over permits will be available on the AZGF website.

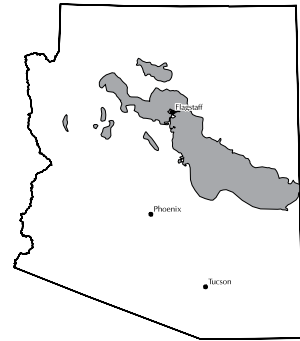
12. The following Pima County parks and preserves are open to hunting: A-7 Ranch in Units 32 and 33, Emperita Ranch in Unit 34B, Bar V Ranch in Unit 34B, Sands Ranch in Unit 34B, and Clyne Ranch in Unit 34B. Hunting in County Parks, opened by this Commission Order, is not permitted within 1/4 mile of any developed picnic area, developed camp ground, shooting range, occupied building, boat ramp, or golf course. Developed areas do not include trails.
13. Areas of private property within municipal boundaries in this hunt area are closed to pronghorn hunting during this hunt.
14. The pronghorn hunting season in Unit 11M is closed within 1/4 mile of an occupied residence or building within the Flagstaff corporate limits.
15. The Lonesome Valley Access Map can be viewed or printed from the Unit 19A pronghorn hunt information section of the Department's website (www.azgfd.gov/h_f/hunting_units_19a.shtml).
16. Rogers Lake Coconino County Natural Area in Unit 6B and Observatory Mesa City of Flagstaff Natural Area in Unit 11M are open to pronghorn hunting but are closed to all cross-country vehicle travel; motorized big game retrieval is prohibited as motorized travel is only allowed on open Forest Service roads. Hunting is not permitted within 1/4 mile of any occupied building, wildlife viewing platform, picnic area, or trailhead.
17. Hopi Trust Lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B North - The Hopi Tribe Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program requires all AZGFD State Certified/Licensed Outfitters and Guides who conduct business (guide, pre-scout, or request access on behalf of their clients) on the Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B North to contact the Chief Revenue Officer at the Office of Revenue Commission at 928-734-3172 to obtain an annual Hopi Tribal Business License. Upon approval of a Hopi Tribal Business License, access to the Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches may be obtained via email at hopihunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling 928-734-3605 or 928-734-3606 Monday-Friday 8am-5pm (MST).
18. Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch in Unit 10 has implemented new Ranch Rules and a mandatory permitting process which includes an impact fee for all hunting activities within the ranch boundaries. The Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch encompasses the entire western half of Unit 10, about 720,000 acres. If planning to hunt the Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch portion of Unit 10, hunters are advised to visit the Ranch's website: www.HuntBigBoRanch.com.

Hunt Success for 2014 seasons was not available at the time printing; 2013 hunt success is provided where available. Draw Odds = your chance of getting your first choice.

2014 Drawing Odds & 2013 Success Rate

Unit	Hunt Type	Date	Permits Authorized	1 st and 2 nd Choice	Draw Odds	2013 Hunt Success
Pronghorn General						
1	Buck	9/5-9/14	20	3370	1	90
2A	Buck	9/5-9/14	20	1386	2	87
2C	Buck	9/5-9/14	15	1286	2	73
3A	Buck	9/5-9/14	20	1586	2	80
3C	Buck	9/5-9/14	3	356	2	100
4A	Buck	9/5-9/14	16	1401	2	92
4A (Hopi)	Buck	9/5-9/14	4	15	11	0
4B	Buck	9/5-9/14	26	1795	3	84
5A	Buck	9/5-9/14	6	809	0	83
5A (Hopi)	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	17	40	***
5B	Buck	9/5-9/14	21	3793	1	88
5B (Hopi)	Buck	9/5-9/14	3	23	22	67
6A	Buck	9/5-9/14	7	656	1	86
6B South	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	126	5	100
7	Buck	9/5-9/14	48	4129	2	100
9	Buck	9/5-9/14	40	4659	2	93
10	Buck	9/5-9/14	90	7728	2	69
12	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	100	2	***
13A	Buck	9/5-9/14	10	372	4	80
13B	Buck	9/5-9/14	5	164	4	80
17A	Buck	9/5-9/14	3	239	2	67
18A	Buck	9/12-9/18	10	734	3	80
18B	Buck	9/5-9/14	20	1266	2	81
19A	Buck	9/12-9/18	30	1836	2	89
19B	Buck	9/12-9/18	5	824	1	100
21	Buck	9/5-9/14	17	1167	2	55
30A	Buck	9/5-9/14	6	329	3	86
31/32	Buck	9/5-9/14	3	465	1	100
Muzzleloader						
2B	Buck	9/5-9/14	10	390	3	33
3B North	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	97	3	60
3B South	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	113	3	***
8	Buck	9/5-9/14	30	1008	5	80
15A/15B	Buck	9/5-9/14	2	62	0	50
17B/19B	Buck	9/5-9/11	6	212	5	83
18A	Buck	9/5-9/11	5	188	5	100
19A	Buck	9/5-9/11	15	508	4	87
Archery						
1	Buck	8/22-9/4	30	476	9	14
3A	Buck	8/22-9/4	10	151	9	0
3B North	Buck	8/22-9/4	5	55	17	33
3B South	Buck	8/8-8/21	5	96	6	0
3B South	Buck	8/22-9/4	5	95	8	0
4A	Buck	8/22-9/4	4	72	9	0
4A (Hopi)	Buck	8/22-9/4	1	1	***	0
4B	Buck	8/22-9/4	15	155	11	20
5A	Buck	8/22-9/4	4	120	7	0
5A (Hopi)	Buck	8/22-9/4	1	0	***	0
5B	Buck	8/22-9/4	9	317	5	25
5B (Hopi)	Buck	8/22-9/4	1	2	***	***
6B	Buck	8/22-9/4	10	51	26	0
7	Buck	8/22-9/4	10	249	7	0
9	Buck	8/22-9/4	5	152	6	0
10	Buck	8/22-9/4	65	721	10	22
11M	Buck	8/22-9/11	5	89	8	40
12A/12B	Buck	8/22-9/4	3	54	4	0
15A/15B	Buck	8/22-9/4	2	47	6	0
17B/19B	Buck	8/22-9/4	5	121	0	100
17B/19B	Buck	8/8-8/21	5	152	4	100
18A	Buck	8/22-9/4	10	148	12	20
18B	Buck	8/22-9/4	5	94	5	60
19A	Buck	8/22-9/4	30	396	13	43
19A	Buck	8/8-8/21	30	618	7	53
21	Buck	8/22-9/4	10	188	11	0
31/32	Buck	8/22-9/4	4	80	7	0

Elk Hunts



■ Distribution

For further information on elk, their habitat, range, natural history, or where you can hunt them in Arizona, please visit www.azgfd.gov.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS	
License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license EXCEPT a Short-term Combination Hunt and Fish and an Apprentice Hunting License (See tables on page 6 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Hunt Permit-tag obtained only through application and draw process as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. EXCEPT for General Nonpermit and Archery-Only Nonpermit seasons: a hunt nonpermit-tag must be obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.
Hunt Numbers Required	When applying for big game hunt permit-tags, you must use hunt numbers.
Legal Methods of Take	General Hunt: Any firearm, bow and arrow, or crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Muzzleloader Hunt: Muzzleloader weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Archery-Only Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and/or crossbow as allowed under R12-4-216.
Legal Animal Definition	Bull elk means an antlered elk. Antlered means having an antler fully erupted through the skin and capable of being shed. Antlerless means any elk, any age, without antlers.
Bag Limit	One (1) elk per calendar year, except as prescribed in R12-4-120.
<p><i>To hunt elk in Arizona you need a valid Arizona hunting or combination license and an elk tag. To hunt elk in General, Youth-Only, Muzzleloader or Archery-Only seasons, you must apply through a draw for a hunt permit-tag. To hunt elk in a General or Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag season, you must obtain a hunt nonpermit-tag from a Department office or license dealer. The same tag can be used in either the General or Archery-Only Nonpermit-tag season.</i></p> <p><i>The Department offers "Youth-Only" designated hunts, in which persons are eligible to participate up to their 18th birthday. A youth hunter, whose 18th birthday occurs after opening day of a "Youth-Only" designated hunt for which the hunter has a valid permit or tag, may continue to participate for the duration of the "Youth-Only" designated hunt. Persons between the ages of 10 and 13 must have satisfactorily completed a Hunter Education Course that is approved by the Director. No one under age 10 may hunt big game in Arizona. A youth must pay the higher fee unless applying only for "Youth-Only" hunts.</i></p>	

Motorized Big Game Retrieval on National Forest Lands

All national forests are undergoing or have recently completed travel management planning, which will result in changes to motor vehicle use on national forest lands. National forests that have made a decision implementing the travel management rule (<http://www.fs.fed.us/recreation/programs/ohv/final.pdf>) only allow motorized use on designated roads, trails and areas as identified on a free Motor Vehicle Use Map (MVUM). These maps are available for free at Forest Service offices and electronically for smartphone and mobile devices. The forests that have electronic maps will have instructions on how to download the maps listed on their websites. The new travel management rules include restrictions on driving cross-country for big game retrieval. The Coronado National Forest and Prescott National Forest have made a decision implementing the new travel management rules and have released MVUM maps; motorized big game retrieval off the designated road system is not allowed on either forest. The South Kaibab National Forest and the

Coconino National Forest have also recently established new travel management rules and published MVUMs. The South Kaibab National Forest allows for cross-country motorized retrieval of elk in all Game Management Units. The Coconino National Forest has restricted motorized retrieval of elk to Game Management Units 6A, 6B and 7, and 8. The North Kaibab National Forest allows for cross country motorized travel for retrieval of elk and bison in all Game Management Units. Motorized retrieval of all other species including deer is not permitted the Coronado, Prescott, Kaibab or Coconino National Forests. Other national forests including the Apache-Sitgreaves and Tonto National Forests are engaged in travel management planning and have not yet issued decisions. If you have a permit to hunt in a Game Management Unit that includes one or more national forests, please contact the appropriate national forest(s) for updated information relative to motor vehicle use and motorized big game retrieval, before your hunt starts.

Elk Hunts

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3000	BONUS POINT ONLY – See page 9 (No other hunt number may be chosen in conjunction with this one).				
3001	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(18)	1, 2B, and 2C	Bull elk	40
3002	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015		3A and 3C	Bull elk	25
3003	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(3,20,34,42)	5A	Bull elk	24
3004	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bull elk	25
3005	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(34,43)	10	Bull elk	100
3006	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(10,34)	22 North	Bull elk	30
3007	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(12,34)	23 North	Bull elk	15
3008	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(13,34)	23 South	Bull elk	5
----	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(3,20,34,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Bull elk	---
3009	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(18)	1, 2B, and 2C	Bull elk	325
3010	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015		3A and 3C	Bull elk	275
3011	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(42)	4A	Bull elk	268
3012	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015		4B	Bull elk	175
3013	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(3,20,34,42)	5A	Bull elk	315
3014	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(3,20,34,42)	5B	Bull elk	590
3015	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(20)	6A	Bull elk	825
3016	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bull elk	130
3017	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(8,20,34)	7 East	Bull elk	550
3018	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(9,20,34)	7 West	Bull elk	400
3019	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(20)	8	Bull elk	500
3020	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(20,34)	9	Bull elk	325
3021	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(34,43)	10	Bull elk	550
3022	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015		19A	Bull elk	35
3023	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(16,34)	21	Bull elk	30
3024	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(10,34)	22 North	Bull elk	450
3025	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(10,34)	22 North	Bull elk	375
3026	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(11,34)	22 South	Bull elk	60
3027	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(34)	23	Bull elk	200
3028	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(18)	27	Bull elk	400
----	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Bull elk	---
----	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(3,20,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Bull elk	---
----	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015	(3,20,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B	Bull elk	---
3029	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(1,18)	Escudilla-Auger Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	75
3030	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(18)	1, 2B, and 2C	Antlerless elk	300
3031	Dec 11 - Dec 17, 2015	(18)	1, 2B, and 2C	Antlerless elk	150
3032	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015		3A and 3C	Antlerless elk	350
3033	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(42)	4A	Antlerless elk	97
3034	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015		4B	Antlerless elk	50
3035	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(3,20,34,42)	5A	Antlerless elk	97
3036	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(3,5,20,34,42)	5B North	Antlerless elk	241
3037	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(7,20,34)	5B South	Antlerless elk	450
3038	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(20)	6A	Antlerless elk	475
3039	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Antlerless elk	300
3040	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(8,20,34)	7 East	Antlerless elk	300
3041	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(28,34)	7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area)	Antlerless elk	20
3042	Oct 2 - Oct 8, 2015	(28,34)	7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area)	Antlerless elk	20
3043	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(28,34)	7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area)	Antlerless elk	20
3044	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(28,34)	7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area)	Antlerless elk	20
3045	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(9,20,34)	7 West	Antlerless elk	550
3046	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(9,20,34)	7 West	Antlerless elk	300
3047	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(20)	8	Antlerless elk	500
3048	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(20,34)	9	Antlerless elk	300
3049	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(20,34)	9	Antlerless elk	300
3050	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(34,43)	10	Antlerless elk	800
3051	Dec 4 - Dec 13, 2015	(34,43)	10	Antlerless elk	800
3052	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015		19A	Antlerless elk	30
3053	Dec 4 - Dec 13, 2015		19A	Antlerless elk	20
3054	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015		21	Antlerless elk	25
3055	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(10,34)	22 North	Antlerless elk	275
3056	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(11,34)	22 South	Antlerless elk	35
3057	Dec 4 - Dec 10, 2015	(34)	23	Antlerless elk	200
3058	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(12,34)	23 North	Antlerless elk	50
3059	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(13,34)	23 South	Antlerless elk	50
3060	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(18)	27	Antlerless elk	375
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(3,20,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Antlerless elk	---

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(3,5,20,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 18 - Sep 24, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Nov 20 - Dec 13, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 18 - Sep 24, 2015	(15,17)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Disabled Veteran)	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
----	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(15,17)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Disabled Veteran)	Any elk	---
----	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(15,17)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Disabled Veteran)	Any elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(15,17)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Wounded Warrior)	Any elk	---
----	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(15,17)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Wounded Warrior)	Any elk	---
Total					14617

YOUTH-ONLY ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3061	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(18)	1 and 2C	Antlerless elk	175
3062	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015		3A and 3C	Antlerless elk	200
3063	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(42)	4A	Antlerless elk	97
3064	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(20)	6A	Antlerless elk	450
3065	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(34,43)	10	Antlerless elk	75
3066	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(34)	22	Antlerless elk	150
3067	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(34)	23	Antlerless elk	65
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Antlerless elk	---
Total					1212

LIMITED OPPORTUNITY (GENERAL) ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3068	Oct 2 - Oct 15, 2015	(14,34)	15A, 15B, and 18A	Bull elk	25
3069	Oct 2 - Oct 15, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Bull elk	35
3070	Jul 31 - Aug 30, 2015	(14,30)	Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3071	Oct 2 - Oct 25, 2015	(14,30)	Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3072	Sep 11 - Sep 20, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Antlerless elk	55
3073	Sep 25 - Oct 4, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Antlerless elk	50
3074	Oct 9 - Oct 18, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Antlerless elk	30
3075	Aug 7 - Aug 16, 2015	(2,14)	3A and 4B Dry Lake	Antlerless elk	15
3076	Aug 7 - Aug 16, 2015	(41,42)	4A North	Antlerless elk	13
3077	Dec 11 - Dec 31, 2015	(41,42)	4A North	Antlerless elk	13
3078	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(3,4,14,27,34,42)	East Sunset and West Sunset Hunt areas in Unit 5A	Antlerless elk	15
3079	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(6,14,27,34,42)	Twin Arrows, Two Guns, Grapevine, and Diablo Combined Hunt Area in Unit 5B North	Antlerless elk	37
3080	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Antlerless elk	75
3081	Oct 2 - Oct 8, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Antlerless elk	75
3082	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Antlerless elk	75
3083	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Antlerless elk	75
3084	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Antlerless elk	75
3085	Nov 6 - Dec 10, 2015	(14,34)	15A, 15B, and 18A	Antlerless elk	200
3086	Oct 2 - Oct 15, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Antlerless elk	150
3087	Nov 6 - Dec 10, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Antlerless elk	250
3088	Dec 4 - Dec 11, 2015	(14,34)	24A	Antlerless elk	5
3089	Aug 7 - Aug 20, 2015	(14,19)	27 South	Antlerless elk	25
----	Aug 7 - Aug 16, 2015	(41,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A North	Antlerless elk	---
----	Dec 11 - Dec 31, 2015	(41,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A North	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(3,4,14,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt Unit in East Sunset and West Sunset Hunt areas in Unit 5A	Antlerless elk	---

Elk Hunts

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LIMITED OPPORTUNITY (GENERAL) ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
----	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(6,14,27,34,42)	Hopi Hunt Unit in Twin Arrows, Two Guns, Grapevine, and Diablo Combined Hunt Area in Unit 5B North	Antlerless elk	---
3090	Sep 11 - Sep 20, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Any elk	25
3091	Sep 25 - Oct 4, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Any elk	25
3092	Oct 9 - Oct 18, 2015	(14)	2A and 2B	Any elk	15
3093	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Any elk	30
3094	Oct 2 - Oct 8, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Any elk	30
3095	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Any elk	30
3096	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Any elk	30
3097	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(28,34)	Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East	Any elk	30
3098	Nov 6 - Dec 10, 2015	(14,34)	15A, 15B, and 18A	Any elk	150
3099	Nov 6 - Dec 10, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Any elk	150
3100	Sep 25 - Oct 4, 2015	(14,34)	24A	Any elk	5
3101	Oct 9 - Oct 18, 2015	(14,34)	24A	Any elk	5
3102	Oct 2 - Oct 29, 2015	(14,33,34)	28, 31, and 32	Any elk	10
Total					1838

C.H.A.M.P. ELK (Challenged Hunter Access/Mobility Permit required, see R12-4-217)

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3103	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(18)	1	Any elk	10
3104	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(20,37)	6A	Any elk	25
3105	Nov 6 - Nov 12, 2015	(34,43)	10	Any elk	15
Total					50

MUZZLELOADER ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3106	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015		3B	Bull elk	25
3107	Nov 27 - Dec 3, 2015		3B	Bull elk	200
3108	Nov 13 - Nov 19, 2015	(20)	6A	Bull elk	300
3109	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(20)	9	Bull elk	25
3110	Nov 6 - Nov 12, 2015	(34,43)	10	Bull elk	150
3111	Sep 25 - Oct 8, 2015	(34)	16A (except Mohave County Park Lands)	Bull elk	3
3112	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(16,34)	21	Bull elk	10
3113	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(11,34)	22 South	Bull elk	50
3114	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(18)	27	Bull elk	40
3115	Dec 11 - Dec 31, 2015		3B	Antlerless elk	200
3116	Nov 13 - Nov 19, 2015	(20)	6A	Antlerless elk	75
3117	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(20)	8	Antlerless elk	150
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
Total					1228

LIMITED OPPORTUNITY (MUZZLELOADER) ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3118	Jul 31 - Aug 13, 2015	(14,36)	3B North	Antlerless elk	30
3119	Oct 2 - Oct 15, 2015	(14,36)	3B North	Any elk	20
Total					50

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ARCHERY-ONLY ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3120	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(44)	1, 2B, and 2C	Bull elk	300
3121	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		3A and 3C	Bull elk	125
3122	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		3B	Bull elk	75
3123	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(42,44)	4A	Bull elk	166
3124	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		4B	Bull elk	125
3125	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,20,42)	5A	Bull elk	194
3126	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,5,20,42)	5B North	Bull elk	145
3127	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(7,20)	5B South	Bull elk	200
3128	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20,44)	6A	Bull elk	775
3129	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bull elk	155
3130	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(8,20)	7 East	Bull elk	150
3131	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(9,20)	7 West	Bull elk	175
3132	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20)	8	Bull elk	150
3133	Sep 18 - Oct 1, 2015	(20)	9	Bull elk	100
3134	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(43)	10	Bull elk	200
3135	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20,35,40)	11M	Bull elk	80
3136	Sep 25 - Oct 8, 2015	(20,35,40)	11M	Bull elk	80
3137	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		16A (except Mohave County Park Lands)	Bull elk	4
3138	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		19A	Bull elk	15
3139	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(16)	21	Bull elk	15
3140	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		22	Bull elk	25
3141	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(12,44)	23 North	Bull elk	15
3142	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(13,44)	23 South	Bull elk	15
3143	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(44)	27	Bull elk	225
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(27,42,44)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Bull elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Bull elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,5,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North	Bull elk	---
3144	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015		1, 2B, and 2C	Bull elk	30
3145	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015		3A and 3C	Bull elk	30
3146	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015		3B	Bull elk	55
3147	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(42)	4A	Bull elk	29
3148	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015		4B	Bull elk	30
3149	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(3,20,42)	5A	Bull elk	29
3150	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(3,5,20,42)	5B North	Bull elk	29
3151	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(7,20)	5B South	Bull elk	30
3152	Nov 20 - Nov 26, 2015	(20)	6A	Bull elk	30
3153	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bull elk	30
3154	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(8,20)	7 East	Bull elk	55
3155	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(9,20)	7 West	Bull elk	55
3156	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(20)	8	Bull elk	30
3157	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(20)	9	Bull elk	55
3158	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(43)	10	Bull elk	35
3159	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(10)	22 North	Bull elk	355
3160	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(11)	22 South	Bull elk	65
3161	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015		23	Bull elk	205
3162	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015		27	Bull elk	30
----	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Bull elk	---
----	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(3,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Bull elk	---
----	Nov 6 - Nov 19, 2015	(3,5,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North	Bull elk	---
3163	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(44)	1, 2B, and 2C	Antlerless elk	75
3164	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		3A and 3C	Antlerless elk	50
3165	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		3B	Antlerless elk	25
3166	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(42,44)	4A	Antlerless elk	78
3167	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015		4B	Antlerless elk	50
3168	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,20,42)	5A	Antlerless elk	48
3169	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,5,20,42)	5B North	Antlerless elk	24
3170	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(7,20)	5B South	Antlerless elk	50
3171	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20,44)	6A	Antlerless elk	25
3172	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(15,20,40)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Antlerless elk	75
3173	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(8,20)	7 East	Antlerless elk	55
3174	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(9,20)	7 West	Antlerless elk	50
3175	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20)	8	Antlerless elk	50
3176	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(43)	10	Antlerless elk	25
3177	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(20,35,40)	11M	Antlerless elk	80
3178	Sep 25 - Oct 8, 2015	(20,35,40)	11M	Antlerless elk	80
3179	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015		22	Antlerless elk	70

Elk Hunts

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ARCHERY-ONLY ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3180	Nov 13 - Nov 26, 2015	(44)	23	Antlerless elk	25
3181	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(44)	27	Antlerless elk	100
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(27,42,44)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(3,5,20,27,42)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 2 - Oct 8, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 16 - Oct 22, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Oct 23 - Oct 29, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Antlerless elk	---
----	Sep 11 - Sep 17, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
----	Sep 18 - Sep 24, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
----	Sep 25 - Oct 1, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
----	Oct 9 - Oct 15, 2015	(15)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Any elk	---
Total					5661

LIMITED OPPORTUNITY (ARCHERY-ONLY) ELK

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
3182	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(14)	15A, 15B, and 18A	Bull elk	25
3183	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Bull elk	35
3184	Sep 4 - Sep 27, 2015	(14,30)	Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	10
3185	Jul 31 - Aug 30, 2015	(14,31,32)	Coon Canyon and Flat Top Hunt Areas in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3186	Sep 4 - Sep 27, 2015	(14,31,32)	Coon Canyon and Flat Top Hunt Areas in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3187	Oct 2 - Oct 25, 2015	(14,31,32)	Coon Canyon and Flat Top Hunt Areas in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3188	Nov 6 - Nov 29, 2015	(14,31,32)	Coon Canyon and Flat Top Hunt Areas in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3189	Dec 4 - Dec 27, 2015	(14,31,32)	Coon Canyon and Flat Top Hunt Areas in Unit 1	Antlerless elk	5
3190	Sep 11 - Oct 1, 2015	(14)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Antlerless elk	35
3191	Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(14,33)	28, 31, and 32	Any elk	5
Total					135

GENERAL NONPERMIT TAG REQUIRED ELK

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife
Apr 1 - Jul 31, 2015	(21,22,24)	Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area and Verde Valley Hunt Area	Bull elk
Jan 1 - Mar 31, 2015	(21,22,23,24)	Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area, Verde Valley Hunt Area, Alamo Lake Hunt Area, and Units 12A, 12B, 13A, and 13B	Any elk
Jun 14 - Jul 30, and Aug 21 - Sep 13, 2015	(21)	13A and 13B	Any elk
Aug 1 - Sep 10, 2015	(21,24)	Verde Valley Hunt Area	Any elk
Aug 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(21,22)	Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area and Units 12A and 12B	Any elk
Sep 11 - Oct 15, 2015	(21,23)	Alamo Lake Hunt Area	Any elk
Nov 6 - Dec 31, 2015	(21)	13A and 13B	Any elk
Nov 20 - Dec 31, 2015	(21,26,33)	28 (excluding the Gila River corridor - see note), 31, and 32	Any elk
Dec 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(21,23,24)	Verde Valley Hunt Area and Alamo Lake Hunt Area	Any elk

ARCHERY-ONLY NONPERMIT TAG REQUIRED ELK

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife
Apr 1 - Jul 31, 2015	(21,25)	Rincon Basin Hunt Area	Bull elk
Jan 1 - Mar 31, 2015	(21,25)	Rincon Basin Hunt Area	Any elk
Aug 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(21,25)	Rincon Basin Hunt Area	Any elk

Elk Notes:

1. Escudilla-Auger Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the Arizona-New Mexico state line at U.S. Hwy 60; west on U.S. Hwy 60 to U.S. Hwy 191; south on U.S. Hwy 191 to FR 88 (Apache County Road 2108); west on FR 88 to FR 88B; south on FR 88B to FR 249; east on FR 249 to U.S. Hwy 191; south on U.S. Hwy 191 to U.S. Hwy 180; east on U.S. Hwy 180 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line; north along the Arizona-New Mexico state line to U.S. Hwy 60.
2. 3A and 4B Dry Lake Hunt Unit - All of Unit 3A and that portion of Unit 4B beginning at AZ Hwy 377 and the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest boundary (mile post 6.3); west and north along the forest boundary to Chevelon Canyon; north along Chevelon Canyon to the confluence with the Little Colorado River; west and north along the Little Colorado River to the Navajo Indian Reservation Boundary; east along the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary to AZ Hwy 77; south along AZ Hwy 77 to exit 292 on I-40; west along the west-bound lane of I-40 to exit 286 off I-40; southwesterly on AZ Hwy 77 to AZ Hwy 377; Southwesterly on AZ Hwy 377 to the Apache-Sitgreaves Nation Forest boundary (mile post 6.3).
3. In the northern portion of Unit 5A, access is permitted on the Clear Creek Ranch by written permission only by contacting the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program via e-mail at hopihunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605 from Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. Please contact in advance to gain access for hunting and scouting. In Unit 5B North access is permitted on the Hopi's Hart/Drye Ranch and in Unit 4A on the Hopi's Aja Ranch by signing in at designated sign-in boxes located at access points.
4. East Sunset and West Sunset Hunt Area in Unit 5A - That portion of Unit 5A north of the Coconino National Forest boundary.
5. 5B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 5B located north of the following roads: Beginning at the junction of FH 3 (Lake Mary/Clints Well Road) and FR 125; east on FR 125 to FR 82; south on FR 82 to FR 69B; east on FR 69B to FR 69.
6. Twin Arrows, Two Guns, Grapevine, Diablo Combined Hunt Area in Unit 5B North - That portion of 5BN beginning at the junction of FR 69 and the rim of Anderson Mesa (at Chavez Pass); northwest along the rim of Anderson Mesa to FR 125; north along FR 125 to FR 126; northwest on FR 126 (Twin Arrows road) to I-40; east along I-40 to the Meteor Crater road; south along the Meteor Crater road to FR 69 (Chavez Pass road); south along FR 69 back to the Anderson Rim (at Chavez Pass).
7. 5B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 5B located south of the following roads: Beginning at the junction of FH 3 (Lake Mary/Clints Well Road) and FR 125; east on FR 125 to FR 82; south on FR 82 to FR 69B; east on FR 69B to FR 69.
8. 7 East Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 7 located east of AZ Hwy 180.
9. 7 West Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 7 located west of AZ Hwy 180.
10. 22 North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 22 located north of the following: Beginning at the confluence of the Verde River and the East Verde River; easterly along the East Verde River to FR 406; easterly on FR 406 to AZ Hwy 260 in Payson; easterly on AZ Hwy 260 to Tonto Creek (the Unit Boundary).
11. 22 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 22 located south of the following: Beginning at the confluence of the Verde River and the East Verde River; easterly along the east Verde River to FR 406; easterly on FR 406 to AZ Hwy 260 in Payson; easterly on AZ Hwy 260 to Tonto Creek (the Unit Boundary).
12. 23 North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 23 located north of the following: Beginning at the junction of Tonto Creek and Spring Creek; east along Spring Creek to FR 134; east on FR 134 to FR 129; east on FR 129 to AZ Hwy 288; east on AZ Hwy 288 to FR 54; east on FR 54 to FR 202; south on FR 202 to FR 127; east on FR 127 to FR 127A; east on FR 127A to the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation Boundary.
13. 23 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 23 located south of the following: Beginning at the junction of Tonto Creek and Spring Creek; east along Spring Creek to FR 134; east on FR 134 to FR 129; east on FR 129 to AZ Hwy 288; east on AZ Hwy 288 to FR 54; east on FR 54 to FR 202; south on FR 202 to FR 127; east on FR 127 to FR 127A; east on FR 127A to the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation Boundary.
14. Elk occur in low numbers in these non-traditional areas. Hunt success may be very low to no success.
15. Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to elk hunting only to properly license hunters who meet the qualifications as "Authorized Participants" according to the installation hunting policies outlined on the National Guard Website. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Hunters must log onto the National Guard Website and read the installation policies and security requirements in order to have access Camp Navajo hunt numbers: <http://www.azguard.gov/CampNavajo.htm>. An applicant who applies for a category of permit for which he or she is not eligible to participate may not be authorized to participate in the hunt. All hunters are required to show proof of attendance in a hunter safety education course during paperwork submission for the Camp Navajo permit. Increases in Force Protection Conditions, training missions and industrial operations may result in partial or complete hunt cancellation at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department or Camp Navajo. Camp Navajo will charge a recreation fee for all hunters. No cash will be taken, only personnel checks and money orders. The cost of the recreation fee can be found at the Camp Navajo Website above or by emailing the hunt coordinator at the email address found on Camp Navajo's website.
16. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting when the unit they occur in is open to hunting.
17. Eligibility requirements for a disabled veteran or wounded warrior hunt are provided on the Camp Navajo website: www.azguard.gov/campnavajo.htm. Written proof is required prior to being allowed to hunt on Camp Navajo.
18. Portions of Units 1 and 27 are closed to elk hunting during firearms seasons. Hunting is not permitted in the Alpine Valley in the following areas of Units 1 and 27: all lands in Section 12, Township 5 North, Range 30 East; all lands, other than USFS lands, in Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 13, and 14, Township 5 North, Range 30 East; and all lands, other than USFS lands, in Sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, Township 5 North, Range 31 East.
19. 27 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 27 located beginning at the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; easterly on Forest Trail 309 to FR 54; easterly on FR 54 to U.S. Hwy 191; southeasterly on U.S. Hwy 191 to Forest Trail 35; southeasterly on Forest Trail 35 to Blue River; northerly on Blue River to Bear Canyon; northeasterly on Bear Canyon to Forest Trail 54; easterly on Forest Trail 54 to Forest Trail 43; easterly on Forest Trail 43 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line; southerly along the state line to the San Francisco River; westerly along the San Francisco River to U.S. Hwy 191; northerly on U.S. Hwy 191 to San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road; west on San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road

Elk Notes continued:

- to Eagle Creek; north along Eagle Creek to the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; north along the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary to Forest Trail 309.
20. The U.S. Forest Service has expressed concern regarding road damage during wet weather. The Department is working with the U.S. Forest Service to provide limited access via designated core roads in units 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7, 8, and 9 that will remain open during periods when other roads may be closed. When weather is deemed severe, the core roads may also be closed to prevent excessive road damage, provide for public safety, and protect natural resources. Roads that have been closed are closed to all users. Hunters should respect and obey road closures and drive responsibly during wet periods. It is recommended that hunters contact the appropriate Forest Service office to determine current road status for their hunt area (see the Index: Hunting on Public Lands).
21. Over-the counter nonpermit-tags for elk are available in some hunt areas. Elk numbers in these hunt areas are very low; therefore, hunt success is expected to be very low. Make sure you obtain permission to hunt on private lands. These hunts will not affect your Bonus Points but do count towards your one-elk-per-calendar-year bag limit. More information on these hunts can be found on the Department's Web site at www.azgfd.gov/otc.
22. Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area in portions of Units 2A, 3A, 4A, and 4B - Beginning at the northwest corner of Unit 4A and the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation; south to I-40 at MP 221.4; east on I-40 to Hipkoe Drive to Business I-40 (3rd Street); east on Business I-40 to AZ Hwy 99; southeast on AZ Hwy 99 to Territorial Road; east on territorial Road to intersection of Territorial Road and Obed Road (at this intersection Territorial Road becomes McLaws Road); east on McLaws Road to AZ Hwy 77; south on AZ Hwy 77 to the intersection with the Woodruff Road (mile post 381); east on Woodruff Road to the intersection with Old Woodruff Road; north on Old Woodruff Road to AZ Hwy 180; southeast on AZ Hwy 180 to the southwest boundary with the Petrified Forest National Park (mile post 324.5); north along the PFNP boundary to I-40; west along I-40 to AZ Hwy 77 (exit 292); north on AZ Hwy 77 to the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary; west along the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary to the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary.
23. Alamo Lake Hunt Area in Units 16A and 44A - That portion of Unit 16A south and east of the following: beginning at Bill Williams River and Planet Ranch Road, north on Planet Ranch Road to Yucca-Alamo Road, southeast on Yucca-Alamo Road to Chicken Springs Ranch Road, northeast on Chicken Springs Ranch Road to US Hwy 93; and that portion of Unit 44A north of Alamo-Highway 93 Road and west of AZ Hwy 93.
24. Verde Valley Hunt Area in Units 6A, 19A, and 21 - Beginning in that portion of Unit 6A at the junction of I-17 and FR 618 (Beaver Creek Road); southeasterly along FR 618 to AZ Hwy 260 (General Crook Trail); east along AZ Hwy 260 to FR 708 (Fossil Creek Road); east along FR 708 to FR 500; south along FR 500 to the Verde River to Chasm Creek; west along the bottom of Chasm Creek to FR 574 (Salt Mine Road) in the Prescott National Forest; northwesterly along FR 574 to Oasis Road; westerly along Oasis Road to AZ Hwy 260; west along AZ Hwy 260 to US Hwy 89A; north along US Hwy 89A to FR 119 (Cornville Road); east along FR 119 to FR 120 (Bearverhead Flat Road); north along FR 120 to AZ Hwy 179; easterly along AZ Hwy 179 to I-17.
25. Rincon Basin Hunt Area in Units 4A and 4B - Those portions of Units 4A and 4B beginning at the junction of I-40 and North Park Drive (exit 253); north along North Park Drive to McHood Road; east along McHood Road to the Little Colorado River; south along the Little Colorado River channel to I-40; west along I-40 to North Park Drive (exit 253).
26. Gila River Corridor in Unit 28 - That portion of Unit 28 within the following boundaries is closed to elk hunting: beginning at the San Carlos Reservation boundary and U.S. Hwy 70 east of Bylas; east along U.S. Hwy 70 to East Sanchez Road (in Solomon); north along East Sanchez Road to North Airport Road; west along North Airport Road to the Safford-Bryce-Eden Road; west along the Safford-Bryce-Eden Road through to the North River Road and on to the San Carlos Reservation boundary; and south along the San Carlos Reservation boundary to U.S. Hwy 70.
27. Hopi Trust lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B are open to both state and Hopi hunters under an agreement with the Hopi Tribe. A percentage of tags are set aside for Hopi Tribal member hunters. Hopi hunt numbers for these hunts must be obtained from the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program by calling 928-734-3606 or 928-734-3605. Non-Hopi Tribal members cannot apply for these hunts. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department on the standard form by the published deadline. If all permits for these hunts are not issued through the draw, the left-over permits will be available to all hunters (tribal and non-tribal) through the first-come, first-serve process. Hunt numbers for left over permits will be available on the AZGFD website.
28. Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East - That portion of Unit 7 East beginning at the intersection of FR 552 and FR 420 (Schultz Pass Rd); southwesterly along FR 420 to the Transwestern Gas Pipeline; westerly along the Transwestern Gas Pipeline to U.S. Hwy 180; northerly along U.S. Hwy 180 to the northern intersection of the FR 151 loop (mile post 235.1); easterly along FR 151 to FR 418; Easterly along FR 418 to the intersection of FR 418 and FR 552; southeasterly along FR 552 to the intersection of FR 420. This hunt may have restricted vehicle access, be physically challenging, and have low hunt success.
29. Maverick Butte Hunt Area in Unit 7 East - That portion of Unit 7 East beginning at the intersection of U.S. Hwy 89 and FR 545; east on FR 545 to the Sunset Crater National Monument; easterly along the southern boundary of the Sunset Crater National Monument to FR 545; east on FR 545 to the 345 KV transmission lines 1 and 2; south-easterly along the power lines to to I-40 (mp 212 on I-40); east on I-40 to mp 221.4; north to the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary; northerly and westerly along the reservation boundary to the Four Corners Gas Line; southwesterly along the Four Corners Gas Line to U.S. Hwy 180; southwesterly along U.S. Hwy 180 to FR 151; easterly along FR 151 to FR 418; easterly along FR 418 to FR 420; easterly along FR 420 to U.S. Hwy 89.
30. Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of AZ Hwy 260 and FR 118; north on FR 118 to FR 8911; north on FR 8911 to State Trust Land; continuing north on dirt road through State Trust Land to U.S. Hwy 60 between mile post 374 and 375; east on AZ Hwy 60 to Main Street in Eagar; south on Main Street to U.S. Hwy 260; west on AZ Hwy 260 to FR 118. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants.
31. Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of AZ Hwy 260 and AZ Hwy 373; south on AZ Hwy 373 to Hall Creek; east on Hall Creek to the Lower Colorado River; east along the Lower Colorado River to Hobson Canyon; southeast along Hobson Canyon to FR 8070A (70A); east on FR 8070A (70A) to AZ Hwy 261; south on AZ Hwy 261 to FR 8070C (70C); east on FR 8070C

Elk Notes continued:

- (70C) to FR 285 (Water Canyon Road); north of FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) to School Bus Road in Eagar; east on School Bus Road to Main Street in Eagar; north on Main Street to AZ Hwy 260; west AZ Hwy 260 AZ Hwy 373. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants. Hunts within this hunt area may overlap with other scheduled hunts of a different weapon-type occurring within the full unit.
32. Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of Main Street in Springerville and U.S. Hwy 60; south on Main Street to School Bus Road in Eagar; west on School Bus Road to FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) in Eagar; south on FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) to FR 74/76; east on FR 74/76 to Forest Trail 607 (Saffel Canyon Trail); east on Forest Trail 607 to U.S. Hwy 191; southeast on U.S. Hwy 191 to Nutrioso Creek; north along Nutrioso Creek to U.S. Hwy 60; west on U.S. Hwy 60 to Main Street in Springerville. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants. Hunts within this hunt area may overlap with other scheduled hunts of a different weapon-type occurring within the full unit.
33. The following Pima County parks and preserves are open to hunting: A-7 Ranch in Units 32 and 33. Hunting in County Parks, opened by this Commission Order, is not permitted within 1/4 mile of any developed picnic area, developed camp ground, shooting range, occupied building, boat ramp, or golf course. Developed areas do not include trails.
34. Areas of private property within municipal boundaries in this hunt area are closed to elk hunting during this hunt.
35. The elk hunting season in Unit 11M is closed within 1/4 mile of an occupied residence or building within the Flagstaff corporate limits.
36. 3B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 3B located north of U.S. Hwy 60.
37. 6A North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6A east of I-17 and north of FR 213 (Stoneman Lake Road).
38. 6A South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6A east of I-17 and south of FR 213 (Stoneman Lake Road).
39. 6A West Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6A west of I-17. Be aware, this area has limited access.
40. Rogers Lake Coconino County Natural Area in Unit 6B and Observatory Mesa City of Flagstaff Natural Area in Unit 11M are open to elk hunting but are closed to all cross-country vehicle travel; motorized big game retrieval is prohibited as motorized travel is only allowed on open Forest Service roads. Hunting is not permitted within 1/4 mile of any occupied building, wildlife viewing platform, picnic area, or trailhead.
41. Unit 4A North - That portion of Unit 4A beginning on the northern boundary of the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest at East Clear Creek; north along East Clear Creek to the Little Colorado River; east along the Little Colorado River to Chevelon Creek; southerly along Chevelon Creek to the northern boundary of the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest; west along the boundary of the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest to East Clear Creek.
42. Hopi Trust Lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B North - The Hopi Tribe Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program requires all AZGFD State Certified/Licensed Outfitters and Guides who conduct business (guide, pre-scout, or request access on behalf of their clients) on the Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B North to contact the Chief Revenue Officer at the Office of Revenue Commission at 928-734-3172 to obtain an annual Hopi Tribal Business License. Upon approval of a Hopi Tribal Business License, access to the Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches may be obtained via email at hophunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling 928-734-3605 or 928-734-3606 Monday-Friday 8am-5pm (MST).
43. Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch in Unit 10 has implemented new Ranch Rules and a mandatory permitting process which includes an impact fee for all hunting activities within the ranch boundaries. The Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch encompasses the entire western half of Unit 10, about 720,000 acres. If planning to hunt the Boquillas-Diamond A Ranch portion of Unit 10, hunters are advised to visit the Ranch's website: www.HuntBigBoRanch.com.
44. Individuals with permits for these hunts are eligible to purchase Restricted Nonpermit tags for the corresponding archery turkey population management season listed in Commission Order 26.

Hunters can Help Monitor Arizona Elk Health – Submit Elk Heads for CWD Testing

Bring the head of your recently harvested elk to any Game and Fish Department office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday (office addresses are listed on page 2). Department personnel will collect a tissue sample for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) testing. Hunters that are successful in Units 1, 2, 3, 4, 27 and 28 are especially encouraged to submit heads because these units are close to New Mexico, a state with infected deer and elk.

It is best if the head has been kept cool and is submitted within a day of harvest. The head may be placed in a garbage bag for delivery. You will be asked to provide information on approximately where the animal was harvested (within your unit) and where you can be reached (phone number) in case the test is

positive. No CWD has been detected in Arizona's deer or elk to date.

CWD results can be found here:
<http://azgfdeservices.com/cwdlogin.aspx>
Keep CWD out of Arizona

To protect Arizona's deer and elk herds from Chronic Wasting Disease, new regulations have been placed on movement of animal parts into the state.

Hunters are required to take these precautions when hunting deer or elk out-of-state (effective July 1, 2013):

- Do not bring the brain, intact skull, or spinal column into Arizona.

The following elk or deer parts harvested out-of-state are OK to bring back into Arizona:

- Boneless portions of meat, or meat that has been cut and packaged;
- Clean hides and capes with no skull or soft tissue attached;
- Antlers, clean skull plates or skulls with antlers attached with no meat or soft tissue remaining;
- Finished taxidermy mounts or products; and
- Upper canine teeth (buglers, whistlers, ivories) with no meat or tissue attached.

CWD is present in the neighboring states of Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico, as well as many other popular hunting destinations for deer and elk. Some states have strict regulations governing carcass movement, so we encourage you to contact the wildlife agency where you travel for any applicable regulations.

Hunt Success for 2014 seasons was not available at the time printing; 2013 hunt success is provided where available.
 Draw Odds = your chance of getting your first choice.

2014 Drawing Odds & 2013 Success Rate

Unit	Hunt Type	Date	Permits Authorized	1 st and 2 nd Choice	Draw Odds	2013 Hunt Success
Elk						
General						
1	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	75	103	71	9
1 (AM)	Antlerless	10/3-10/26	5	9	100	0
1 (AM)	Antlerless	8/1-8/31	5	24	40	50
1 (CH)	AE	10/17-10/23	10	174	7	70
1/2B/02C (ES)	Antlerless	12/12-12/18	225	995	37	54
1/2B/02C	Bull	11/28-12/4	375	5762	8	50
1/2B/02C	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	375	2052	25	41
1/2C (Jr.)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	175	1605	15	74
2A/2B	Antlerless	9/26-10/5	50	11	100	11
2A/2B	Antlerless	10/10-10/19	30	3	***	25
2A/2B	AE	9/26-10/5	25	156	12	56
2A/2B	Antlerless	9/12-9/21	55	52	91	43
2A/2B	AE	10/10-10/19	15	25	50	0
2A/2B (CC)	AE	9/12-9/21	25	192	7	60
3A/3C	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	350	2762	17	45
3A/3C	Bull	11/28-12/4	300	2261	17	27
3A/3C (Jr.)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	200	1735	22	53
3A/3C	Bull	9/26-10/2	30	4838	1	93
3A/4B (DL)	Antlerless	8/8-8/17	15	34	69	40
4A	Bull	11/28-12/4	253	1350	25	19
4A (Hopi)	Bull	11/28-12/4	9	2	100	38
4A	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	97	1160	18	57
4A (Jr.)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	97	974	20	57
4A (Jr.-Hopi)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	6	7	86	56
4A North	Antlerless	8/8-8/17	13	15	100	0
4A North (Hopi)	Antlerless	8/8-8/17	13	3	***	***
4A North	Antlerless	12/12-12/31	13	3	100	43
4A North (Hopi)	Antlerless	12/12-12/31	13	1	***	***
4B	Bull	11/28-12/4	250	991	36	16
4B	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	50	576	17	48
5A	Bull	11/28-12/4	315	1743	25	20
5A (Hopi)	Bull	11/28-12/4	9	19	100	0
5A	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	97	1093	14	61
5A (Hopi)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	4	3	100	***
5A/5B North (ST)	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	37	80	45	42
5A/5B North (ST-Hopi)	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	63	29	90	21
5B	Bull	11/28-12/4	614	6155	17	28
5B (Hopi)	Bull	11/28-12/4	14	33	57	29
5B North	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	241	1927	21	44
5B North (Hopi)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	10	20	44	30
5B South	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	450	4680	17	59
6A	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	475	5886	15	39
6A (CH)	AE	10/24-10/30	25	206	14	21
6A (Jr.)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	450	2945	20	57
6A	Bull	11/28-12/4	825	8909	14	38
6B	Antlerless	12/5-12/14	300	1017	38	30
6B	Bull	11/28-12/4	175	1240	22	47
7 East	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	20	68	37	40
7 East	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	210	485	60	52
7 East (P)	Antlerless	9/26-10/2	75	249	36	43
7 East	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	20	73	53	30
7 East (P)	AE	10/10-10/16	30	100	35	50
7 East (P)	AE	10/3-10/9	30	192	18	53
7 East (P)	AE	9/26-10/2	30	329	9	62
7 East (P)	AE	10/24-10/30	30	39	96	***
7 East (P)	Antlerless	10/3-10/9	75	145	52	42
7 East	Bull	11/28-12/4	400	1341	33	28
7 East	Antlerless	10/3-10/9	20	109	40	70
7 East	Antlerless	9/26-10/2	20	174	20	80
7 East (P)	AE	10/17-10/23	30	69	52	***
7 East (P)	Antlerless	10/24-10/30	75	31	100	***
7 East (P)	Antlerless	10/10-10/16	75	129	80	48
7 East (P)	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	75	57	90	36

2014 Drawing Odds & 2013 Success Rate

Unit	Hunt Type	Date	Permits Authorized	1 st and 2 nd Choice	Draw Odds	2013 Hunt Success
Elk						
General						
7 West	Bull	11/28-12/4	350	2548	21	44
7 West	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	250	886	49	48
7 West	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	550	2956	26	40
8	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	550	2003	42	37
8	Bull	11/28-12/4	500	3429	21	38
9	Bull	9/26-10/2	25	6097	1	80
9	Bull	11/28-12/4	325	1738	22	18
9	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	300	697	57	55
9	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	300	1407	30	51
10	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	850	2029	54	23
10 (CHAMP)	AE	11/7-12/11	10	67	26	33
10	Antlerless	12/5-12/14	825	1156	91	32
10	Bull	9/26-10/2	100	6727	2	68
10	Bull	11/28-12/4	550	2597	25	36
15A/15B/18A	Antlerless	11/7-12/11	200	103	100	3
15A/15B/18A	Bull	10/3-10/16	25	280	11	64
15A/15B/18A	AE	11/7-12/11	150	370	50	20
17/18B/19B/20AC	Bull	10/3-10/16	35	356	11	82
17/18B/19B/20AC	AE	11/7-12/11	150	445	38	24
17/18B/19B/20AC	Antlerless	10/3-10/16	150	100	95	4
17/18B/19B/20AC	Antlerless	11/7-12/11	250	109	100	2
19A	Bull	11/28-12/4	30	182	19	54
19A	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	30	84	53	20
19A	Antlerless	12/5-12/14	20	43	80	41
21	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	25	114	34	26
21	Bull	11/28-12/4	25	254	14	50
22 (Jr.)	Antlerless	11/7-11/13	150	697	34	39
22 North	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	275	1494	27	54
22 North	Bull	9/26-10/2	30	2379	1	80
22 North	Bull	12/5-12/11	400	1925	31	40
22 North	Bull	11/28-12/4	475	2011	33	35
22 South	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	35	223	28	60
22 South	Bull	11/28-12/4	60	426	20	47
23 (Jr.)	Antlerless	11/7-11/13	65	420	30	33
23	Antlerless	12/5-12/11	200	675	34	33
23	Bull	11/28-12/4	200	2116	11	47
23	Bull	9/26-10/2	20	3424	1	95
23 North	Antlerless	10/14-10/23	50	538	14	63
23 South	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	50	166	27	64
24A	AE	10/10-10/19	5	45	22	0
24A	AE	9/26-10/5	5	85	9	0
27	Bull	9/26-10/2	40	4693	1	80
27	Bull	11/28-12/4	500	3549	15	66
27	Antlerless	10/17-10/23	300	1356	27	41
27	Antlerless	10/24-10/30	200	754	41	38
27/28 (CC)	Antlerless	8/8-8/21	25	11	100	18
27 South	Antlerless	8/8-8/21	25	11	100	12
28/31/32	AE	10/3-10/30	10	25	33	63
Muzzleloader						
1/2B/02C	Bull	9/26-10/2	45	3276	2	100
3B	Antlerless	12/12-12/31	200	468	61	19
3B	Bull	11/28-12/4	200	617	38	17
3B	Bull	9/26-10/2	25	926	3	72
3B North	Antlerless	8/1-8/14	30	23	100	100
5B	Bull	9/26-10/2	24	1370	2	***
5B (Hopi)	Bull	9/26-10/2	1	5	20	***
6A	Bull	11/14-11/20	300	1760	24	23
6A	Antlerless	11/14-11/20	75	385	37	20
8	Antlerless	9/26-10/2	175	708	26	53
10	Bull	11/7-12/11	25	250	11	52
16A	Bull	9/26-10/2	3	53	4	0
21	Bull	9/26-10/2	5	185	3	60
22 South	Bull	9/26-10/2	50	598	8	80

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Unit	Hunt Type	Date	Permits Authorized	1 st and 2 nd Choice	Draw Odds	2013 Hunt Success
Elk						
Archery						
1 (CF)	Antlerless	12/5-12/28	5	0	***	***
1 (CF)	Antlerless	10/31-11/23	5	1	100	***
1 (CF)	Antlerless	10/3-10/26	5	0	***	0
1 (CF)	Antlerless	9/5-9/28	5	6	100	20
1 (CF)	Antlerless	8/1-8/31	5	1	100	0
1 (AM)	Antlerless	9/5-9/28	10	2	100	0
1/2B/02C	Bull	9/12-9/25	300	5088	7	49
1/2B/02C	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	75	288	36	16
1/2B/02C	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	122	25	22
3A/3C	Bull	9/12-9/25	150	2126	9	58
3A/3C	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	50	197	41	42
3A/3C	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	94	35	32
3B	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	25	81	24	26
3B	Bull	9/12-9/25	75	787	11	39
3B	Bull	11/14-11/27	50	69	80	0
3B North	AE	10/3-10/16	20	121	20	87
4A	Bull	9/12-9/25	166	1920	10	35
4A (Hopi)	Bull	9/12-9/25	8	7	57	50
4A	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	78	326	34	47
4A (Hopi)	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	2	0	***	50
4A	Bull	11/14-11/27	24	52	53	0
4A (Hopi)	Bull	11/14-11/27	1	1	***	50
4B	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	25	100	20
4B	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	50	124	47	23
4B	Bull	9/12-9/25	125	1020	15	30
5A	Bull	9/12-9/25	194	1750	15	33
5A (Hopi)	Bull	9/12-9/25	6	6	100	0
5A	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	48	220	30	16
5A (Hopi)	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	1	0	***	***
5A	Bull	11/14-11/27	24	58	50	8
5A (Hopi)	Bull	11/14-11/27	1	0	***	***
5B North	Bull	11/14-11/27	24	72	36	29
5B North (Hopi)	Bull	11/14-11/27	1	0	***	0
5B North	Bull	9/12-9/25	169	1490	18	16
5B North (Hopi)	Bull	9/12-9/25	9	11	100	0
5B North	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	24	90	27	0
5B North (Hopi)	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	1	1	100	100
5B South	Bull	9/12-9/25	225	3200	12	31
5B South	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	50	245	23	18
5B South	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	87	32	20
6A	Bull	9/12-9/25	775	4652	20	21
6A	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	84	28	22
6A	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	5	279	26	0

2014 Drawing Odds & 2013 Success Rate

Unit	Hunt Type	Date	Permits Authorized	1 st and 2 nd Choice	Draw Odds	2013 Hunt Success
Elk						
Archery						
6B	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	50	48	0
6B	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	75	165	40	15
6B	Bull	9/12-9/25	155	896	18	16
7 East	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	55	157	33	4
7 East	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	59	60	22
7 East	Bull	9/12-9/25	125	833	24	31
7 West	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	50	213	33	41
7 West	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	71	45	24
7 West	Bull	9/12-9/25	150	2027	9	15
8	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	58	77	25
8	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	50	150	40	25
8	Bull	9/12-9/25	200	1781	15	27
9	Bull	11/14-11/27	50	127	38	25
9	Bull	9/12-9/25	100	3555	3	51
10	Bull	11/14-11/27	30	81	45	39
10	Bull	9/12-9/25	200	2301	9	30
10	Antlerless	11/14-11/27	25	25	100	0
11M	Bull	9/26-10/9	80	550	20	24
11M	Bull	9/12-9/25	80	734	17	38
11M	Antlerless	9/26-10/9	80	209	62	26
11M	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	80	263	42	37
15A/15B/18A	Bull	9/12-10/2	25	179	17	44
16A	Bull	9/12-9/25	4	38	14	100
17/18B/19B/20AC	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	35	11	100	0
17/18B/19B/20AC	Bull	9/12-10/2	35	223	19	69
19A	Bull	9/12-9/25	15	72	26	33
21	Bull	9/12-9/25	15	181	9	73
22	Bull	9/12-9/25	25	484	6	72
22	Antlerless	11/14-11/27	70	126	74	28
22 North	Bull	11/14-11/27	375	331	99	12
22 South	Bull	11/14-11/27	60	99	76	7
23	Bull	11/14-11/27	200	273	79	3
23	Antlerless	11/14-11/27	25	74	76	29
23 North	Bull	9/12-9/25	15	739	3	100
23 South	Bull	9/12-9/25	15	406	5	87
27	Antlerless	9/12-9/25	100	204	61	14
27	Bull	9/12-9/25	225	2791	13	44
27	Bull	11/14-11/27	25	100	35	28
28/31/32	AE	9/12-9/25	5	7	60	***

Herd-Units: AM = Antelope Mountain, CF= Coon Canyon/Flat Top, CC = Coal Creek, DL= Dry Lake, ES (Unit 1) = Escudilla, P = Peaks, ST= East Sunset/West Sunset/Meteor Crater/Twin Arrows/Two Guns/Grapevine.

Lead and Wildlife

Know the facts and make your own choice

- Lead is a naturally occurring element in the environment and has many beneficial uses. However, it is a known toxin and has been removed from many consumer products like pipes, paint and gasoline.
- Lead has been used in the manufacture of ammunition and fishing tackle for centuries because of its unique properties, availability, performance, and ease and low cost to manufacture.
- Spent ammunition, lost fishing tackle and lead fragments in carcasses and gut piles can be ingested by wildlife. In some cases, these lead sources can cause illness or death in individual animals.
- Birds are the most susceptible to lead toxicity, and population-level effects have been documented in waterfowl and California condors.
- State fish and wildlife agencies have primary responsibility for managing fish and wildlife resources and use the best science to implement focused management solutions when population effects are documented. Educating the public about wildlife issues is part of their mission.
- Hunters and anglers have been the primary supporters of wildlife conservation in North

America since the early 1900s. Collaboration with industry, conservation organizations and shooting-sports interests is also essential to ensuring continued protection of our wildlife resources and conservation heritage.

- Non-lead ammunition and fishing tackle alternatives are becoming more widely available and reasonably priced. Using non-lead alternatives can prevent lead poisoning of individual wildlife and may offer better performance.
- Hunters who choose to use lead ammunition can still help to reduce lead poisoning in scavenging animals by removing the entire game carcass from the field.

Availability

Non-lead ammo alternatives are available for big game, varmint and small game hunting. Non-fragmenting solid copper or copper alloy bullets are now loaded in most hunting calibers. Highly frangible non-lead varmint bullets (compressed copper or tin powder) are available in both centerfire and rimfire cartridges. Non-lead shot (steel, tungsten, and bismuth) is also available.

To learn more about lead and wildlife, visit www.azgfd.gov/lead.

What hunting magazines and Arizona hunters say about solid copper bullets:

"I was very impressed with the bullet's performance, the buck literally dropped in its tracks." – *Kaibab deer hunter*

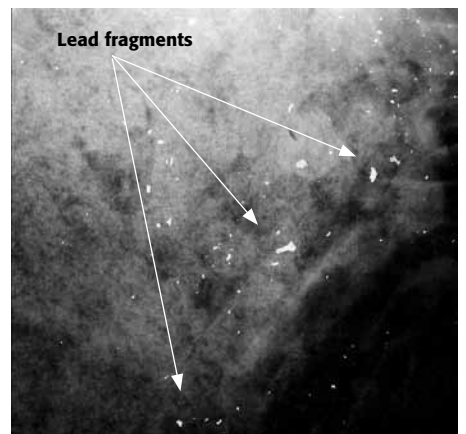
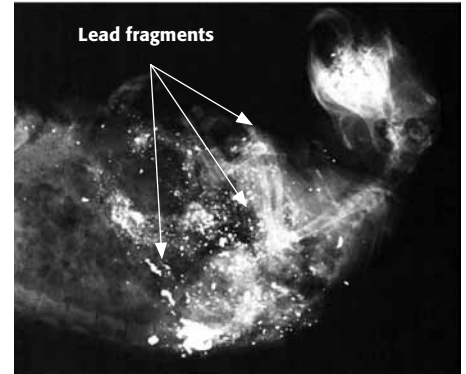
"Accurate, zero bloodshot, no wasted game meat." – *Kaibab deer hunter*

"I've never seen deadlier performance on game." – *Safari Club International article*

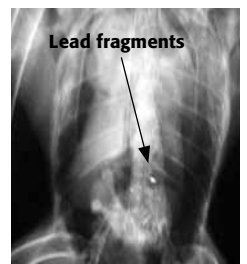
"While their terminal performance is the stuff of legend, they are also capable of remarkable accuracy." – *American Rifleman article*

LEAD VS. NON-LEAD AMMO COSTS 2013 PRICES FROM ONLINE AMMO RETAILERS

.30-06 165 gr. loaded ammo, Box of 20 (big game hunting)	Basic lead: \$17-\$20, Premium lead: \$25-\$40, Non-lead: \$30-\$40
.223 loaded ammo, Box of 20 (35-55 gr.) (varmint hunting)	Basic lead: \$6-\$10, Premium lead: \$20-\$27, Non-lead: \$22-\$27
.22 long rifle rimfire, Box of 50 (25-40 gr.) (small game hunting)	Basic lead: \$2-\$4, Premium lead: \$5-\$10, Non-lead: \$6-\$11
12 gauge #6 shotshells, Box of 25 (upland game/dove hunting)	Lead: \$7-\$25, Steel: \$7-\$32



X-ray of prairie dog (top), coyote (center) and a deer (bottom) gut pile. All contain lead bullet fragments that could be ingested by wildlife.



Eagles and other raptors feed on game remains and ingest lead shot and bullet fragments. Doves and waterfowl are known to pick up lead shot in the field.

Supplemental (Population Management) Hunts and Hunter Pool

Beginning in 2003-2004, the Arizona Game and Fish Department established population management hunts and the hunter pool. Department wildlife managers have found that previous hunt strategies designed to manage some wildlife populations are not meeting objectives. When regular hunt seasons don't meet management objectives, conflicts between wildlife and other uses of the land can occur. Population management hunts are designed to allow the Department to achieve supplemental harvests of wildlife when traditional harvest strategies have not met their objectives. Population management hunts will enhance the Department's ability to meet population and habitat management objectives.

The following information is important to know if you are planning on applying for a population management hunt.

- Population management hunts may occur as necessary, under the provisions of R12-4-115 (refer to the current hunting regulations).
- The Population Management Seasons Commission Order 26 approved by the Commission designates the range of species, season dates, open areas, legal wildlife, lawful taking methods, and maximum tag numbers for population management hunts to be prescribed by the Director and implemented under R12-4-115.
- When a population management hunt is found to be necessary, as prescribed in R12-4-115, hunters will be selected from the hunter pool made up of hunter pool applicants (see application below).
- The hunter pool list will be purged by the Department Dec. 31, 2015. You may apply at any time during the year (note: do not include the hunter pool hunt application form with a hunt permit-tag application—you must apply separately. See application below for instructions).
- To complete your application, you must designate the species of animal(s) you desire to hunt and the weapon type(s). You must also submit a \$13 application fee (residents) or a \$15 application fee (non-residents) (note: one application fee per application—not per species). Please do not send cash.
- You may designate more than one species and weapon type on the application form. If you choose to designate more than one species and weapon type on your hunter pool application, your name will be included in the hunter pool for each species and weapon type you designate. This means that you may be eligible to participate in a population management hunt for more than one species or method of take each year (note: annual bag limits apply to all population management hunts and may limit your ability to participate in a population management hunt or regular season hunt).
- If you participate in a population management hunt and fill your annual bag limit for that species, you may not participate in a regular hunting season for that species even if you are drawn through the normal draw process (note: A.R.S. 17-332.E. prohibits the issuing of a refund for the purchase of a license or a permit).
- If your application is selected during a random drawing for a population management hunt, the Department will attempt to contact you three times by telephone within a 24-hour period. If you cannot be contacted within 24 hours, your application will be returned to the hunter pool for inclusion in future population management hunts during that year.
- If you are offered a restricted non-permit tag for a population management hunt, pursuant to R12-4-115, you may decline to participate. If you decline to participate, your application will be returned to the hunter pool for inclusion in future population management hunts during that year (note: if you agree to participate in a population management hunt but fail to purchase your tag within the timeframe designated when you are contacted, you will not be eligible for further population management hunts that year).
- If you elect to participate in a population management hunt, it is probable that you will be asked to arrive in the field to hunt within a few days of being contacted (note: purchase of restricted nonpermit-tag and applicable hunting license prior to hunting is required).
- Restricted non-permit tags issued through the hunter pool may be purchased through the Department's Phoenix office. See the front of the hunting regulations booklet for the address and phone number.
- You will not gain or lose bonus points when you apply for, or participate in, a population management hunt.

Form may be photocopied.

**Do not include this form with a Hunt Permit-tag Application Form
(See R12-4-115 in the current hunting regulation booklet)**

Have you:

- Filled in all the blanks?
- Enclosed the \$13 (residents) or \$15 (non-residents) application fee?
- Signed your application?
- Indicated your choice of species?

Mail Application and Fee (do not send cash) to:

Arizona Game and Fish Department
Attention: Drawer FAB
5000 W. Carefree Highway
Phoenix, AZ 85086-5000

HUNTER POOL APPLICATION

For Jan. 1, 2015 thru Dec. 31, 2015

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Please provide your hunting license number.
(2 character license prefix required)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Day Phone No. () _____ - _____ Evening Phone No. () _____ - _____

Choose 1 to 5 Species: ☐ Deer ☐ Elk ☐ Bear ☐ Javelina ☐ Buffalo

Choose 1 to 3 Methods of Take: ☐ Rifle ☐ Ham (Handgun, Archery, Muzzleloader) ☐ Archery

Birthdate ____/____/____ ☐ Resident ☐ Non-resident

Please provide your Department ID Number. If you do not have a Department ID Number, one will be provided for you.

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Signature _____ Date _____

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Population Management Hunts

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS	
License Required	Any valid hunting or combination license EXCEPT a Short-term Combination Hunt and Fish and an Apprentice Hunting License (See tables on page 6 for Resident and Non-resident license fees).
Tag Required	Restricted nonpermit-tag for legal wildlife. Refer to page 32.
Legal Methods of Take	General Hunt: Any firearm, bow and arrow, or crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Muzzleloader Hunt: Muzzleloader weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. Archery-Only Hunt: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216. HAM Hunt: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, crossbow, or bow and arrow and prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.
Bag Limit	Refer to individual species annual bag limits. Note: annual bag limits apply to all population management hunts. Successful applicants for Population Management Hunts may not exceed the bag limit except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

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DEER

DEER GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	1	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	2A	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	2B	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	2C	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	12A	Designated deer	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	12B	Designated deer	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	13A	Designated deer	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	13B	Designated deer	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	19A, 20A, 20B, and 21	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	27	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	28	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	29	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	30A	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	30B	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	34A	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,5)	34B	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	35A	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	35B	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	36A	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	36B	Designated deer	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	36C	Designated deer	75
Total				1475

DEER ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	43B	Designated deer	50
Total				50

ELK

ELK GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	1 and 27	Designated elk	200
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	2A and 2B	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	3C	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	4A and 4B	Designated elk	100

Population Management Hunts

Population Management Seasons: Commission Order 26 (continued)

ELK

ELK GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,6)	6A, 19A, and 21	Designated elk	30
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	7	Designated elk	150
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	10	Designated elk	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	12A and 12B	Designated elk	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	13A and 13B	Designated elk	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	15A, 15B, and 18A	Designated elk	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	16A and 44A	Designated elk	15
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C	Designated elk	115
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	22	Designated elk	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	23	Designated elk	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	24A	Designated elk	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3,12)	28, 31, and 32	Designated elk	35
Total				1195

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

ELK MUZZLELOADER POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	3B and 3C	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	10	Designated elk	50
Total				150

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Muzzleloading weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

ELK HAM POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3,12)	28, 31, and 32	Designated elk	25
Total				25

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.

ELK ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	1 and 27	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	3B and 3C	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	4A and 4B	Designated elk	75
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,6)	6A, 19A, and 21	Designated elk	30
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	10	Designated elk	100
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	22	Designated elk	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	23	Designated elk	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	24A	Designated elk	50
Total				555

TURKEY

TURKEY ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	1, 2B, and 2C	Any turkey	375
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	4A	Any turkey	244
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	6A	Any turkey	800

Population Management Hunts

Population Management Seasons: Commission Order 26 (continued)

TURKEY

TURKEY ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	23 North	Any turkey	15
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	23 South	Any turkey	15
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	27	Any turkey	325
Sep 11 - Sep 24, 2015	(1,7)	Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A	Any turkey	6
Total				1780

JAVELINA

JAVELINA GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

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Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	1 and 27	Any javelina	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	3B and 3C	Any javelina	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	22 and 23	Any javelina	10
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	24A and 24B	Any javelina	10
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	28	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3)	30A	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3)	30B	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,12)	31	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3,12)	32	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,4)	35A	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,6)	37A	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	39 and 41	Any javelina	50
Total				360

JAVELINA HAM POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	28	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3)	30A	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3)	30B	Any javelina	50
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,12)	31	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,3,12)	32	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,4)	35A	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,6)	37A	Any javelina	25
Total				250

JAVELINA ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	1 and 27	Any javelina	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	3B and 3C	Any javelina	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	4B	Any javelina	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	25M and 26M	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,4)	35A	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,6)	37A	Any javelina	25
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1)	38M	Any javelina	25
Total				160

Population Management Hunts

Population Management Seasons: Commission Order 26 (continued)

BUFFALO

BUFFALO GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,8)	5A and 5B	Designated buffalo	20
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,8,9)	12A, 12B, and 13A	Designated buffalo	150
Total				170

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow, centerfire handguns, centerfire rifles, muzzleloading rifles, or all other rifles using black powder as prescribed in R12-4-304. Bow and arrow or centerfire handguns may NOT be used on Raymond Wildlife Area.

BEAR

BEAR GENERAL POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	1 and 27	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	4A and 4B	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,6,10)	20B and 21	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	22 and 23	Any bear except sow with cubs	10
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	24A and 24B	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	28	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10)	29	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10)	30A	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10,12)	31	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10,12)	32	Any bear except sow with cubs	3
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,5,10)	34A	Any bear except sow with cubs	3
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,4,10)	35A	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	35B	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Total				68

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

BEAR HAM POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	28	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10)	29	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10)	30A	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10,12)	31	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,3,10,12)	32	Any bear except sow with cubs	3
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,5,10)	34A	Any bear except sow with cubs	3
Total				26

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.

BEAR ARCHERY-ONLY POPULATION MANAGEMENT SEASONS

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-321, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	1 and 27	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	4A and 4B	Any bear except sow with cubs	4
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,6,10)	20B and 21	Any bear except sow with cubs	2
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	22 and 23	Any bear except sow with cubs	2
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	24A and 24B	Any bear except sow with cubs	2
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,4,10)	35A	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2015	(1,2,10)	35B	Any bear except sow with cubs	5
Total				28

Population Management Hunts

Population Management Notes:

1. These seasons shall be held in accordance with R12-4-115 and may include shorter time frames, smaller geographic areas, and specification of legal wildlife within that described in this Commission Order.
2. In accordance with R12-4-318, dogs may not be used to pursue bears between January 1 and July 31.
3. Hunter access in Units 29, 30A, 30B, and 32 is extremely restricted. Applicants should not apply for these units unless they have secured access.
4. The Fort Huachuca Army Garrison in Unit 35A is open to hunting only to properly licensed military and civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post hunting permit. Special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
5. The Santa Rita Wildlife Area in Unit 34A is actively used for studies in wildlife management. Researchers are present all months and study sites are not always recognizable; hunters are urged to use caution while hunting and take care not to disturb study sites.
6. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
7. Restricted nonpermit tags for these population management seasons will be available to permit holders in corresponding big game seasons.
8. Individuals that have previously harvested a buffalo in Arizona and have met the one (1) per lifetime bag limit are not eligible to purchase the restricted nonpermit tag for buffalo.
9. All buffalo hunters, including unsuccessful hunters or hunters who did not hunt, with a buffalo restricted nonpermit-tag for the House Rock Wildlife Area herd shall check out in person or by telephone at either the Department's Flagstaff regional office or the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters within three days following the close of the season. A successful buffalo hunter shall report information about the kill to the Department within five business days after taking the buffalo either in person at the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters or in person or by telephone at the Department's Flagstaff regional office. If the kill is reported by telephone, the report shall include the name of the hunter, the hunter's tag number, the sex of the buffalo taken, the number of days hunted, and a telephone number where the hunter can be reached for additional information (R12-4-306).
10. As prescribed in R12-4-308, all hunters must contact an Arizona Game and Fish Department office in person or by telephone at 1-800-970-BEAR (2327) within 48 hours of taking a bear. The report shall include the hunter's name, hunting license number, tag number, sex of the bear taken, management unit where the bear was taken, and telephone number at which the hunter can be reached to obtain additional information. Within 10 days of taking a bear, the hunter shall present the bear's skull, hide, and attached proof of sex to a designated Arizona Game and Fish Department employee for inspection. If a hunter freezes the skull or hide before presenting it for inspection, the hunter shall prop the jaw open to allow access to the teeth and ensure that the attached proof of sex is identifiable and accessible (pursuant to R12-4-308). A premolar tooth will be removed during the inspection. Successful hunters are encouraged to contact the nearest Department office by telephone to coordinate inspections.
11. The Buenos Aires Refuge is open to javelina hunting as permitted by refuge regulations; all other Refuges are closed.
12. Unit 31 and 32 hunts - Access to Aravaipa Canyon Wildlife Area (as prescribed in R12-4-802) is allowed by permit only, available through the Safford Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. For more information, contact the Safford Field Office at (928) 348-4400 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.
13. Within the following described area, those portions of Unit 16A within 1/4 mile of an occupied residence or building are closed to javelina hunting during this season: that portion of Unit 16A in Township 20 North, Range 15 West, Section 28 (Pine Lakes Community is within this area).

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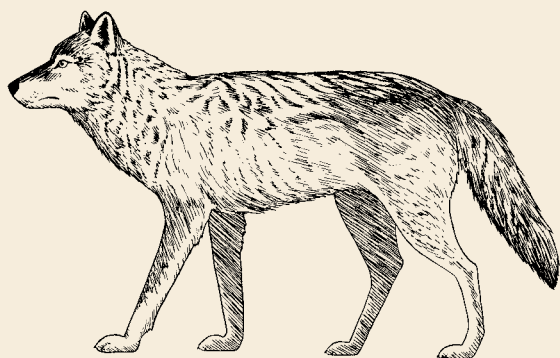


An important step in accomplishing reintroduction of the Mexican wolf is to reduce inadvertent illegal shooting of this subspecies. To date, some of these wolves have been shot, and it is probable that some of these shootings were cases of mistaken identity, where the shooter believed the target was a coyote. It may be difficult to distinguish wolves from coyotes, especially when the sighting is brief, the animal is far away, the wolf is a juvenile, or the wolf is in its summer coat. Coyote hunters should exercise extra caution from July to November because wolf pups are active, and their appearance and behavior make them appear like coyotes. You are responsible for identifying your target before shooting.

If you are hunting in or near Unit 1 or 27, or near the United States/Mexico border east of Nogales, please be aware that Mexican wolves may be present. Mexican wolves are protected under the Endangered Species Act. Take, which means "to harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture, or collect, or to attempt to engage in any such conduct," is generally unlawful, and may subject you to federal and state prosecution. Criminal penalties may include imprisonment of not more than one year and a fine of up to \$50,000 and/or a civil penalty of up to \$25,000.

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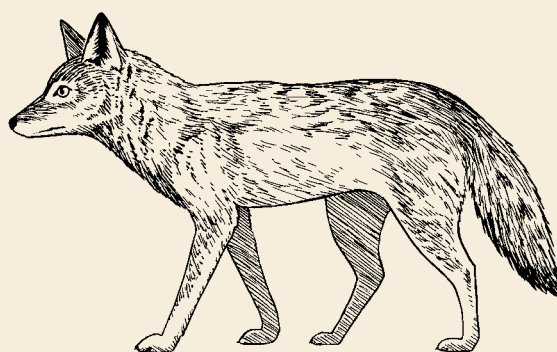


Mexican Wolf (*Canis lupus baileyi*)

- Nose is broad and blocky
- Ears are more rounded and relatively short
- Fur color is very similar to coyotes: grizzled gray, black, rust or buff; not all white or all black
- Legs are longer, giving wolves a more lanky appearance; feet are larger
- Weighs 50–80 pounds
- Sometimes displays curious behavior and may not flee as quickly
- Not all wolves have radio collars
- Front paw is 4 1/2 inches long by 3 1/2 inches wide

Description: Smaller than a northern gray wolf but larger than a coyote. Adults are 70–80 pounds and 30 inches at the shoulder. Adults are 5–5.5 feet long, including a 14- to 17-inch tail. Males are larger than females. Head and feet are large in proportion to body. Small, erect ears with wide tufts of hair that grow out and down are one of the Mexican wolf's most distinctive features. Body color is often mottled or patchy, varying from gray and black to brown and buff.

Habitat: Mid- to high-elevation woodlands, including oak, pinyon pine, juniper, ponderosa pine and mixed conifer forests. Almost all historical records of Mexican wolves in Arizona occurred above 4,500 feet in elevation. Habitat must contain large ungulate prey animals for wolves to thrive.



Coyote (*Canis latrans*)

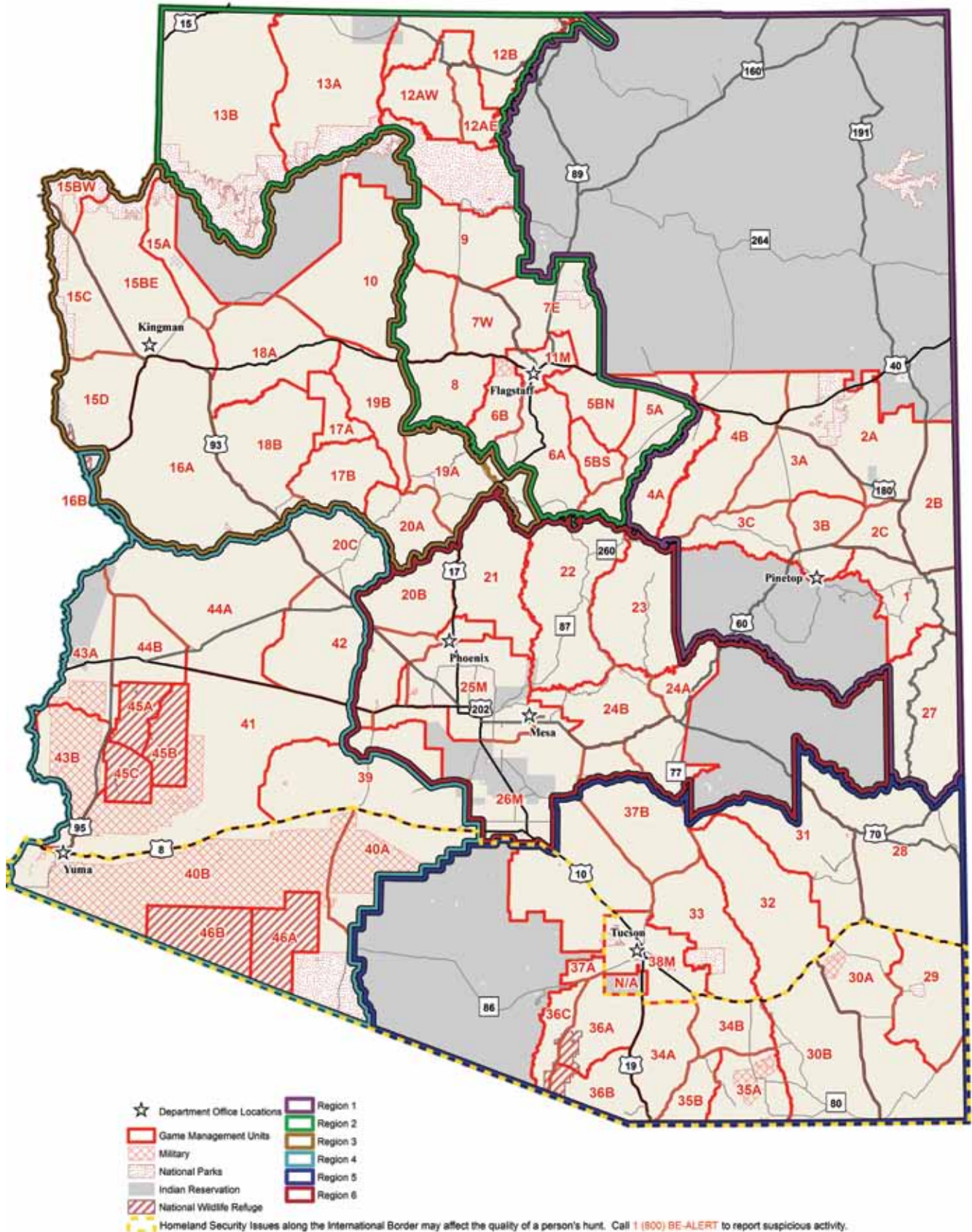
- Nose is slender and pointed
- Ears are prominent, pointed and relatively long
- Fur color is very similar to wolves: grizzled gray, rust or buff; rarely white or black
- Legs and feet are smaller, more delicate
- Weighs 20–35 pounds
- Usually displays skittish behavior, tends to flee immediately
- Front paw is 2 1/2 inches long by 2 inches wide

Description: Coyotes are on the small side, weighing less than 35 pounds. An adult measures about 21 inches tall at the shoulder, with a total length of up to 49 inches. The coyote looks much like a shepherd dog, the pelage being rather long, heavy and often presenting a shaggy or grizzled appearance. The fur is reddish or tawny gray, sometimes tipped with black. The tail is large and very bushy. Ears are upright, and the slender muzzle is sharply pointed. Seasonal color variation is considerable among coyotes, and immature pelage is grayer and duller than that of an adult.

Habitat: All habitats are occupied, from low desert to montane forest and woodland, but the coyote tends to avoid thickly forested, high elevation areas.

Game Management Unit Map

Visit http://www.azgfd.gov/inside_azgfd/rulemaking_process.shtml for legal unit boundary descriptions.





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